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THE TRUSTEES

1955

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THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS

1891-1954

SIXTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT

The Standing Committee wishes to thank all who, through financial assistance or any other form of contribution, have helped to make this the most active year in the history of THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS

OUTSTANDING ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF 1954

ACQUISITION OF PROPERTIES

Royalston: Five acres, adjoining Royalston Falls, acquired by gift from Mr. and Mrs. George L. Foote, of Boston.

Stockbridge: Eighteen acres, containing the studio of the late Daniel Chester French, acquired by gift from Mrs. William Penn Cresson, of Stockbridge, together with an annual contribution for its maintenance.

PUBLICITY

Addresses by the Secretary before public and private gatherings; radio talks on the aims and achievements of THE TRUSTEES; press releases on subjects of interest; issue of thousands of circulars on various properties of THE TRUSTEES, educating the public to the significance of their work.

ACTIVITIES OF THE YEAR

DANIEL CHESTER FRENCH STUDIO

Mrs. Cresson, daughter of the late Daniel Chester French, sculptor, has given to THE TRUSTEES her studio with its contents as a memorial to her father and as "an example of the classical period of sculpture, of which he was an outstanding example." The gift includes eighteen acres of land.

The studio was built in 1898 from plans by Henry Bacon, architect of the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, in which the famous Lincoln statue by Mr. French is housed. It is filled with models of his statues and monuments known all over the world, of which the best known is, of course, the seated figure of Lincoln.

The first large monument which Mr. French designed in the Stockbridge studio was the equestrian statue of George Washington for the Place d'Iena in Paris.

An unusual feature of the studio is a railroad track, on which a statue can be moved outdoors to be seen under natural light.

ROYALSTON FALLS

The gift of five acres of land in Royalston, as a result of the continued interest of Mr. and Mrs. Foote, connects the Royalston Falls property given in 1951 with the nearest public way. As the result of this gift, THE TRUSTEES are now fortunate in being able to provide direct public access to the Falls entirely over THE TRUSTEES' land.

ON THE RESERVATIONS

Bartholomew's Cobble. Cutting of overgrown red cedars, and removal of unsightly small building; raising of funds to make possible the continued services of Warden Bailey for 1954 season.

William Cullen Bryant Homestead. Installation of heating system.

Canaumet. Continued clearing of underbrush to expose the holly trees.

Richard T. Crane, Jr., Memorial Reservation. A beginning on the clearing of an enormous amount of hurricane damage.

Elliott Laurel Reservation. Removal of additional tree limbs and underbrush to provide more light for the mountainlaurel kalmia.

Governor Hutchinson's Field. Cutting of trees which had grown to obstruct the view of the Neponset meadows and river.

Magnolia Shore. Cutting and removal of unwanted underbrush; enlargement of parking space on Hesperus Avenue.

Medfield Rhododendrons. Continued clearing and thinning to provide a better view of the rhododendrons.

Mount Ann Park. Construction of entrance path; dedication of Henry Davis Minot Memorial.

Old Manse. Completion of \$10,000 endowment fund.

Old Town Hill. Clearing of hurricane damage.

Rocky Woods. Completion of warden's house; tarring of entrance road and portion of parking lot; improvements in main recreation cabin.

Royalston Falls. Installation of protective wire fence overlooking the Falls.

Your Standing Committee take pleasure in announcing the enrollment of five new Founders and twenty-six new Life Associates:

FOUNDERS

CASTLE HILL FOUNDATION

MRS. E. CRANE CHADBOURNE

MRS. WILLIAM PENN CRESSON

HUMANE SOCIETY OF MASSACHUSETTS

MRS. VREDENBURGH MINOT

LIFE ASSOCIATES

BEINECKE FOUNDATION
 MRS. H. G. BYNG
 ESTATE OF WALTER CHANNING
 CHARLES E. COTTING
 DOUGLAS CROCKER
 MISS HAZEL CURTISS
 MRS. JOHN WELLS FARLEY
 CHARLES S. GARRETT
 *MRS. IRVING B. HOWE
 PARKMAN D. HOWE
 MRS. E. C. JOHNSON
 PERRY S. KNOWLTON
 MISS PAULINE E. MARSH

JAMES J. MINOT
 DR. AND MRS. JOHN P. MONKS
 MRS. CHARLES L. MOORE
 MRS. AUGUSTIN H. PARKER, JR.
 MR. AND MRS. PHILIP PHILLIPS
 MISS ELEANOR RANTOUL
 PHILIP P. SHARPLES
 LIVINGSTON STEBBINS
 HENRY O. TILTON
 DR. CHARLES F. WALCOTT
 MRS. EDWIN S. WEBSTER
 JAMES N. WHITE
 SARAH T. WINTHROP MEMORIAL FUND

The Standing Committee record with regret the death of five members of the Corporation in 1954:

CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS
 WALTER CHANNING

ARTHUR C. COMEY
 H. WENDELL ENDICOTT

FRANCIS E. FROTHINGHAM

PLANS AND POLICIES FOR 1955

1. To foster a widespread sentiment for the preservation of beautiful and historical places.
2. To co-operate with all persons and agencies actively interested in securing places "worthy of preservation for the enjoyment of the public."
3. To establish an active local preservation committee in each of THE TRUSTEES' affiliated societies with a view to furthering the aims and purposes of THE TRUSTEES.
4. To maintain and develop the Reservations entrusted to the care of THE TRUSTEES.
5. To preserve places of scenic beauty and historic interest wherever found in Massachusetts, by purchase or gift, or by means of easements or special agreements with landowners concerning the future use of their properties.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Sixty-fourth Annual Meeting of the Corporation was held in the Back Bay Room of the Sheraton Plaza, Boston, on January 19, 1955, at a quarter to twelve o'clock in the morning, with President Walcott in the chair.

*Deceased, September 13, 1954.

The Secretary presented the official records of the meetings of the Corporation and the Standing Committee during 1954, which were approved and accepted. The Treasurer, Mr. Augustus P. Loring, then presented his report.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

During the year THE TRUSTEES received contributions toward operating income of \$53,409. Included in this amount were \$11,877, an answer to an appeal to help clean up the damage done by the two hurricanes last fall, and substantial gifts to designated Reservations.

Investment income for the year amounted to \$22,520, while income from operations at the various Reservations totaled \$88,190, of which \$78,980 came from the Crane Reservation.

THE TRUSTEES' total income for the year amounted to \$164,119. Expenses for the year totaled \$156,097, leaving a net gain for 1954 of \$8022. However, it should be noted that \$11,877 of the income received was for the specific purpose of cleaning up after the hurricanes, which means that during the year THE TRUSTEES operated with a small deficit.

During the year THE TRUSTEES disposed of two pieces of property, one at Halibut Point for \$11,780, the other in the town of Falmouth for \$1500. In addition THE TRUSTEES received gifts and legacies of \$6475, which were added to general endowments.

Below is a brief résumé of financial operations on the more important Reservations. The balance of the Reservation and general administrative costs have been combined.

SUMMARY ACCOUNT OF OPERATIONS

(Including 27 Reservations, as well as THE TRUSTEES' General Administrative Costs)

GENERAL FUND*

Receipts.....	\$38,870
Disbursements.....	43,479
Loss.....	\$ 4,609

HURRICANE FUND

Receipts.....	\$11,877
Disbursements.....	4,449
Balance.....	\$ 7,428

MISSION HOUSE, Stockbridge†

Receipts.....	\$ 5,344
Disbursements.....	5,560
Loss.....	\$ 216

*Including General Administrative Costs and those accounts not locally handled.

†Account locally handled.

OLD MANSE, Concord†

Receipts.....	\$ 5,290
Disbursements.....	4,960
Gain.....	\$ 330

ROCKY WOODS, Medfield†

Receipts.....	\$23,758
Disbursements.....	22,869
Gain.....	\$ 889

CRANE MEMORIAL RESERVATION, Ipswich†

Receipts.....	\$78,980
Disbursements.....	74,780
Gain.....	\$ 4,200

Following presentation and acceptance of the Treasurer's report, the Secretary, Mr. Laurence B. Fletcher, presented his report.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY

Last year I reported to you that 1953 was the most active year THE TRUSTEES had ever had, but now comes the report for 1954, which was even greater.

First, let me say that much of the work of your Secretary and Executive Director yields no immediate or visible return. Some negotiations concerning future gifts of properties prove fruitless, while others may not result in the acquisition of a new Reservation until some time later. Too, the financial results of many conferences often do not develop for some time.

In 1954 THE TRUSTEES secured 267 new members (including five Founders, twenty-six new Life Associates, and seven new Affiliated Societies). Much of this growth in membership has come about through lectures, meetings, and the following-up of prospective members. It is due also to the issue of 4500 copies of the 1953 year-book and over 1000 letters to names on well-chosen lists, in an attempt to secure new members.

In addition to lecture activity, the Secretary and his assistant have been active in visiting Reservations, arranging for appropriate publicity, and attending to the ever-increasing activities of the Boston office. A notable achievement in 1954 was completion of the endowment for the Old Manse. It is expected that, barring catastrophes, the income from this endowment, together with admissions, will take care of this historic building for the foreseeable future.

Damage to Reservations by the two hurricanes was very severe, especially at Castle Hill, Mount Ann Park, Rocky Woods, Charles W. Ward Reservation, Whitney and Thayer Woods, Old Town Hill, and Pine and Hemlock Knoll. Under the auspices of the Committee

on Reservations, nearly \$12,000 has been raised toward the cost of clearing these properties. A chipper has been bought for clearing along the paths in Reservations where the damage was the most severe, and it is hoped that by the end of 1955 the worst of this damage will have been removed.

THE TRUSTEES derived material assistance in 1954 from the disposal of a comparatively unattractive portion of the Halibut Point property in Rockport. This property, which had been bought by THE TRUSTEES in 1936, was sold to a neighbor who wished to protect his adjoining land. Since this Reservation has never had an endowment, part of these funds will be used for the development of Halibut Point, which is sorely needed, with a larger parking space and warden service contemplated.

An interesting event took place at Mount Ann Park on June 18. A good-size audience gathered to hear President Walcott's introductory remarks and the dedication address by the Rev. Charles E. Park on THE TRUSTEES' acceptance of the gift of a bronze bas-relief of Henry Davis Minot, by Hilda Scudder Manning, set in a huge granite boulder.

A revival of a project, sponsored by THE TRUSTEES nearly thirty years ago, was proposed by a Representative of the General Court, Howard S. Russell of Wayland, who introduced a resolve for "further study relative to plans and proposals of the Massachusetts Bay Circuit." This project was first brought to the attention of the General Court in 1929 by THE TRUSTEES, but a bill providing for its approval did not pass the legislature. The present resolve calls for a joint board representing the Division of Planning of the Department of Commerce, the Department of Natural Resources, the Department of Public Works, and the Metropolitan District Commission, together with interested private organizations, including THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS, the Massachusetts Forest and Park Association, and the Massachusetts Audubon Society. The final report to the General Court will be made early in 1955. The Bay Circuit is proposed as a scenic route running from the North Shore to the South Shore through Essex, Middlesex, and Norfolk counties, entailing no extra cost to the state for new roads. It will be made a most inviting route for the general public, and will include many historic places of exceptional interest and scenic beauty.

The acquisition of chief importance in 1954 was the Daniel Chester French Studio at Stockbridge, a gift from his daughter, Mrs. William Penn Cresson. The studio where Mr. French worked, together with its contents much as he left them, will be open to the public on suitable days under the management of a competent Local Committee.

It has been gratifying to note on several occasions the desire shown by Life Associates to make their children, and in some cases their grandchildren, Life Associates of THE TRUSTEES so that their families will have a continuing interest in the work of this body.

It is also gratifying to report that THE TRUSTEES' debt to principle in the amount of \$17,000 was reduced in 1954 to \$9000.

It is expected that the usual field trip to the Berkshires will take place some time in May, and we hope that you will avail yourself of this opportunity to see that beautiful section of the state and some of THE TRUSTEES' properties.

I wish to extend the thanks of the Standing Committee to all those who have subscribed to the work of THE TRUSTEES for various causes. You also have my most grateful thanks as Secretary and Executive Director for your co-operation.

Mr. Fletcher Steele, Chairman of the Committee on Reservations then reported on the success of that committee's appeal for \$25,000 emergency funds with which to clear away storm damage on Reservations visited by hurricanes in the late summer. Nearly half the sum—\$11,877—had already been received, which made possible the beginning of a constructive program. On this committee's recommendation THE TRUSTEES had purchased a Fitchburg chipper and an improved power saw, and had hired an operating crew of two men who would move from one property to another until the worst of the damage had been cleared away.

Following presentation and acceptance of this report, nominations to fill the vacancies occurring among voting members of the Corporation were made by the Standing Committee and approved; the candidates named were then elected by unanimous vote.*

A Nominating Committee (Sidney L. Beals, chairman; Alexander Forbes; Russell H. Kettell) presented a slate for officers and members of the Standing Committee, and those named were also elected by unanimous vote.†

The President then called upon Dr. Joel E. Goldthwait, Chairman of the Local Committee for the Rocky Woods Reservation, who reported on the year's over-all activities in Medfield; and upon Mr. Mario Pederzini, Executive Chairman of the Local Committee, who presented an account of some of the details of operation.

Next, the President introduced Colonel J. Perry Smith, newly appointed General Manager, Richard T. Crane, Jr., Memorial Reservation, who outlined briefly his plans for administration of that property.

Concluding the meeting, the President welcomed Mr. Tom Wallace, guest speaker at the Luncheon Conference to follow, who spoke briefly.

The meeting was adjourned at a quarter to one o'clock in the afternoon.

* The list of 100 corporate members of THE TRUSTEES for 1955 appears on pp. 2-3.

† The officers and members of the Standing Committee for 1955 are listed on p. 1.

LUNCHEON CONFERENCE

Following the Annual Meeting of the Corporation, some 255 members, guests, and delegates from THE TRUSTEES' Co-operating Societies met for luncheon in the main ballroom.

President Walcott first introduced His Excellency, Governor Christian A. Herter, who extended greetings to the gathering.

Governor Herter:

Mr. President, Ladies, and Gentlemen:

It is a great privilege to be allowed to come here, even though for a few moments, once again to extend to this very fine organization the felicitations and the thanks of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for the many things that you have done on behalf of the Commonwealth.

If I may, today, I should like to make a suggestion, on which I hope you might be of still further value to the Commonwealth.

Since I have become Governor, I have had an opportunity of traveling and consulting with other Governors throughout the country, and I have found, today, very few States left which do not provide some form of executive mansion for the Chief of State.

In nearly all of our neighboring States, there is such a mansion. I am making the plea in discussing this matter with you today, not from a personal point of view, but as something that I have thought about ever since I have been in office. As I shall not be in office too much longer, it is something that I am thinking about in connection with possible successors.

The present situation requires the Governor of the Commonwealth to fend for himself, from the point of view of where he wishes to live.

I had a predecessor not too long ago who came from the western part of the State, and for his many years in office he had, at one time, only one hotel room and at another time two hotel rooms, as the suite in which he lived when he was conducting the affairs of the Commonwealth.

To my mind, that is not a very dignified situation; it is one that I feel we ought to correct.

However, in the correction of it, it seems to me that we have an opportunity to do something more than just furnish an executive mansion. There is no doubt but that an executive mansion is none too attractive a living place for a Governor, because if it is public property there is little privacy left for the individual who lives in it. But I find that in most executive mansions there is a line of demarcation drawn between the rooms on the bottom floor and those in which the Governor and his family actually live. The rooms on the bottom floor are almost always open to public inspection and are very great drawing cards for outside visitors, because

the mansions frequently house pieces of furniture, paintings, and other items of very real historic interest as well as of artistic interest that are prized possessions having to do with the past history of the State itself.

It occurred to me that with the wonderful things that you have done for the Commonwealth, you might well want to concern yourselves with that problem, because I have a feeling that we shall never secure an executive mansion for a Governor here in the Commonwealth unless and until some group of public-spirited citizens themselves find the answer, which may then have to be presented to the Legislature for approval.

I would say there is only one requirement with respect to an executive mansion, and that is that it be within reasonable distance of the State House. When I say a reasonable distance, I do not mean necessarily that it would have to be in the city of Boston, but within reasonably convenient distance for the Governor to travel to his office on Beacon Hill. Beyond that, there are no restrictions whatsoever.

I can quite well visualize some building of great historic interest in a place of natural beauty that should be preserved for the future, and I can well visualize the possibility of having part, at least, of that building furnished by gifts or acquisitions of very real importance from the point of view of their preservation with respect to our historic and artistic past.

I can think of no group which could better fulfill a mission of that kind than this group here; and since I realize that I ought to be here thanking you for all you have done in the past, I feel somewhat presumptuous in suggesting further burdens for you. Nevertheless I feel that it would be a great public service if you felt that you could direct your thoughts toward this particular problem.

Again, I am very grateful to you for having allowed me to come here to express, on behalf of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the very deep appreciation which all of us in the Commonwealth feel for the very, very fine services that you have performed on behalf of all the people.

Following the Governor's appreciative remarks, the President introduced those seated at the head table:

CHARLES S. BIRD
GODFREY L. CABOT
ERWIN D. CANHAM
PHILIP P. CHASE
WILLIAM EMERSON

WILLIAM ROGER GREELEY
MRS. CLEMENT S. HOUGHTON
RICHARD PRESTON
J. PERRY SMITH
TOM WALLACE

LOUIS A. WEBSTER

The President then presented the Chairman of the Standing Committee, Mr. Charles S. Bird, who read his report for the year.

Chairman of the Standing Committee:

Our enthusiastic Executive Director, Laurence Fletcher, whose zest

“age cannot wither nor custom stale”

reported some of our accomplishments at the annual business meeting of THE TRUSTEES a few hours ago.

I shall not repeat what he said, but shall confine my report to a few significant events of the past year.

The most important is the gift by Mrs. William Penn Cresson of the Berkshire studio of her father, Daniel Chester French.

This gift, together with an ample endowment, includes the gardens, later the house, and many acres of unspoiled woodland “into which,” as romantically described by Walter Prichard Eaton, “the garden paths wander.”

In a charming biography entitled *Journey Into Fame*, Mrs. Cresson tells of the many years of pleasure that her father enjoyed in working over the grounds and gardens so that, together with the house and studio, each part grew to form an artistic whole.

The studio contains not only many preparatory models of Mr. French's most famous works but a number of large and small statues which have attracted many visitors.

The studio and house were designed by Henry Bacon, an old friend who later became architect of the Lincoln Memorial. Henry Bacon also helped Mr. French in the development of the grounds and garden, creating a fountain and a large handsome bench, which commands a sweeping prospect of the entire valley looking out over Monument Mountain to the far-off dome of the Taconics. This view, which attracted Mr. French to buy the farm, was greatly admired by Matthew Arnold, who spent a summer in Stockbridge in the 1880's.

“This gift,” as Mr. Eaton says, “constitutes a memorial of great artistic interest and natural beauty which will bring visitors closer to one of the most beloved artists of our time.”

It may be interesting to recall the thrilling moment in Mr. French's early life when a committee of distinguished citizens of Concord, fully confident in his budding genius, commissioned him, only 23 years old, to make a monument to commemorate the Battle of Concord, which was to be erected in a nationwide ceremony to which the President of the United States and other dignitaries of the nation and state were invited. It resulted in the unveiling of his famous “Minute Man,” which from that day to this is one of the best known and most beloved statues in America.

It was as moving an incident in the early life of a great artist as the triumph of Michelangelo when, at about the same age, he won a contest against the greatest artists of the sixteenth century with his “David,” which he hewed out of a discarded block of marble

declared by every other artist so hopelessly out of shape that nothing could possibly be made of it.

This splendid, everlasting memorial will now be under the management and care of a Local Committee such as THE TRUSTEES appoint for all their Reservations, who will have full charge of its maintenance and use.

In accepting this gift the Standing Committee have done so with deep appreciation of Mrs. Cresson's confidence in THE TRUSTEES as its future guardian.

The following are some other events.

1. The dedication in June of Mount Ann Park, which since then has been visited by many thousands of people.

2. The revival of the Bay Circuit. There are many beautiful and historic places along this Circuit which could be acquired today at little expense, making a "green belt" extending from the North to the South Shore on a route which visitors and the general public could enjoy forever.

3. Liquidation of certain capital debts, which have been an embarrassment, leaving now only the problem of Bartholomew's Cobble. THE TRUSTEES' budget, however, is not balanced. Dues from memberships and income from an exceedingly small endowment are not sufficient to meet annual expenses. In spite of all efforts, too few people in the Commonwealth know of THE TRUSTEES. Yet, such knowledge was never more needed, for the pressure of increasing population demands more beaches, playgrounds, wilderness areas, and parks for recreation needs. I feel sure that with more publicity, membership in THE TRUSTEES would increase tenfold. I hope that all members will urge their friends to join.

THE TRUSTEES have no pride of ownership, and are eager to cooperate with any town, state, or private organization that is working to provide more open spaces for recreation and conservation.

As one looks from any vantage point—north, south, east, and west—one sees swarms of new houses multiplying in every direction. The pity of it is that there seem to be few plans for playgrounds for children and few parks for recreation.

The pioneers of New England towns were far more intelligent in building their towns around a common, usually with a church at one end. When the church became full, the people moved to found a new town. When the Industrial Revolution came in the nineteenth century, it was a great pity that many of our New England communities were made hideous by lack of planning. Today, with only television, movies, and the Stop & Shop stores as an outlet for the children in these new developments, is it any wonder that, with the increasing material temptations, young people get into mischief?

Thomas Jefferson once wrote that

MOUNT ANN PARK

THE HENRY DAVIS MINOT MEMORIAL

June 18, 1954

Portion of Dedicatory Address by
THE REVEREND CHARLES E. PARK, D.D., S.T.D.
Pastor Emeritus, First Church of Boston, Unitarian

In the year 1897, four brothers of Henry Davis Minot gave to THE TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC RESERVATIONS this tract of land as a memorial to their deceased brother. It consists of about sixty-five acres of the unspoiled New England wilderness, and comprises not alone the summit but much if not all sides of this modest eminence known as Mount Ann.

This tract was given to be preserved as a wild park for the enjoyment of the public. For fifty years it has lain here in relative seclusion, known and used by few except the local residents of the region. With the very recent completion of Route 128, however, the spot has been made one of the most accessible beauty spots of all the holdings of THE TRUSTEES. Therefore, one niece and four nephews of Henry Davis Minot have foreseen a new future of publicity, availability, and actual use for this particular Reservation.

From their knowledge of human nature, especially human nature on a picnic, they have foreseen the need of greater care, better oversight in the future. So out of the generosity of their hearts, they have conspired to endow this gift with sufficient money to provide this better oversight. Strictly speaking, the purpose of our gathering this afternoon is to acknowledge and commemorate this supplementary act of generosity by which the nephews and niece seek to confirm and enhance the gift made fifty-seven years ago by the four brothers.

We cannot properly understand this purport of our gathering without at once thinking within ourselves: How unusual this is—that the impulse of brotherly love which prompted this gift fifty-seven years ago should lie quiescent for half a century, and suddenly reappear as strong as ever in the hearts of the succeeding generation, and prompt a second gift even greater than the first. It makes us think of Emerson:

*I fancied he was fled,—
And after many a year,
Glowed unexhausted kindliness,
Like daily sunrise there.*

men in hideous surroundings reflect a de-humanizing effect upon the spirit. To cultivate the mystery of beauty, therefore, is a primary concern not only of the moralist but the statesman.

4. Two extraordinary hurricanes brought devastation to some of THE TRUSTEES' Reservations. The Standing Committee were most grateful for the quick response which brought in funds that made possible an immediate start on the work of clearing up.

5. The past year proved to be another successful season at the Richard T. Crane, Jr., Memorial Reservation in Ipswich, with its magnificent beach, house, and gardens. The Castle Hill Foundation, to which THE TRUSTEES have given the responsibility for the use of the house, carried on both the Art Center for its fifth season and the Musical Festival, which was once again brilliantly directed by their volunteer impresario and leader, Mr. Samuel Barlow.

Mr. Bradford Williams, Chairman of the Local Committee for this Reservation, together with the other members of that Committee, gave persistent contemplation to the solution of many problems. I am glad to announce that this Committee has now appointed Colonel J. Perry Smith as General Manager in charge of all its business operations.

6. The Standing Committee were pleased to welcome The Earl of Wemyss and March, Chairman, the National Trust for Scotland, who paid THE TRUSTEES a visit last autumn and told of accomplishments in Scotland along the lines of those of the National Trust in England, which is today the largest owner and guardian of many promontories, beaches, gardens, parks, and famous historic houses in the British Isles.

7. THE TRUSTEES are glad to have the help of the National Trust in the United States in arousing more people to be interested in the importance of historic preservation. In his report Mr. David E. Finley, Chairman, telling of its activities and accomplishments, echoes our views when he said:

We have now reached a point in our history as a nation when our strength, both moral and physical, has placed the leadership of the free world in our hands. To inspire confidence in that leadership, we must prove that we have the capacity, not only for mass production and distribution on the material level, but also that we possess an understanding of moral and cultural values that justifies the great and unprecedented trust which has been placed in us by free men everywhere. If we can make even a small contribution toward this end, we shall deserve and receive the support of the American people in the work we are trying to do. Certainly we can ask no more than that and I am sure we shall receive no less.

The only purpose of THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS is to preserve our heritage of places of natural beauty and historic interest before it is too late. "Every act, every inquiry, every action and undertaking should aim to some good," Aristotle once said. I feel sure that this is the only aim of THE TRUSTEES, and I hope that we shall be even more effective in our work in the future than we have been in the past.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the men and women who have served us so well on many committees. They are a source of strength for us, and I trust and expect that they will become more and more important in the management of our properties as the years pass.

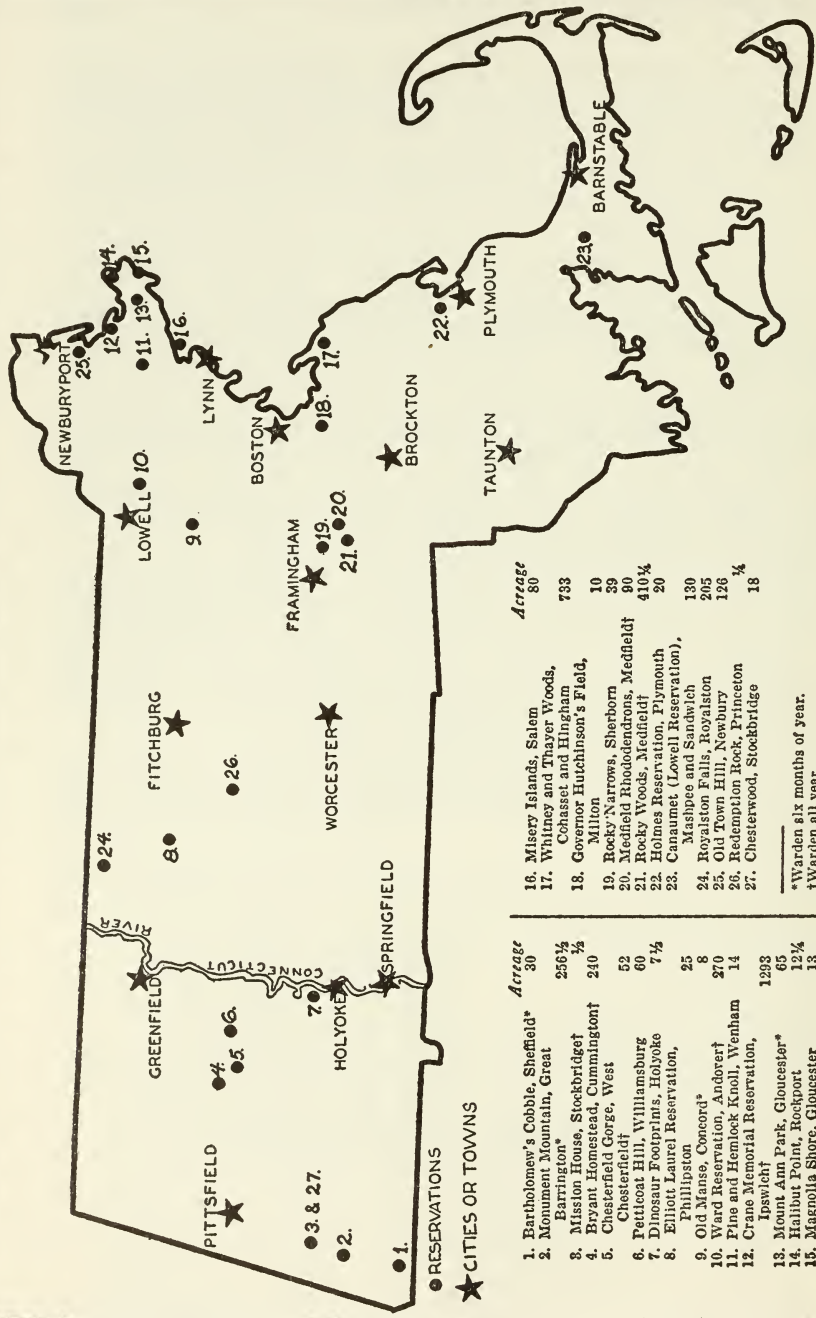
The Vice President, Mr. William Roger Greeley, then took the chair and, while paying tribute on behalf of the Standing Committee to Judge Walcott's contribution to conservation over the years, named him as recipient of THE TRUSTEES' Conservation Award for 1954.* Judge Walcott made graceful acknowledgment of the honor conferred upon him, and of the gift of a silver salver.

Resuming the chair, the President then introduced the luncheon speaker, Mr. Tom Wallace, of Louisville, a former member of the Advisory Board on National Parks, Historic Sites, and Monuments, and recipient of the Cornelius Amory Pugsley Medal from the American Scenic and Historic Preservation Society, who addressed the meeting on the subject of "Stand on the Lid and Fight: Eternal Vigilance Is the Price of Everything Worth Saving."

After showing colored motion pictures provided through the courtesy of Mr. Richard Borden of Wildlife Conservation, Inc., the Annual Conference was adjourned at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon.

*The award in recognition of distinguished service in the field of conservation has been presented to the following:

1933	DR. JOHN C. PHILLIPS	1944	JAY NORWOOD DARLING
1934	SAMUEL A. YORE	1945	CHARLES SUMNER BIRD
1935	WILLIAM P. WHARTON	1946	HARLAN PAGE KELSEY
1936	JOHN S. AMES	1947	HARRIS AQUILLA REYNOLDS
1937	MRS. S. V. R. CROSBY	1948	LAURENCE BROWN FLETCHER
1938	JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, JR.	1949	FAIRFIELD OSBORN
1939	MRS. JAMES J. STORROW	1950	LOUISE DU PONT CROWNINGSHIELD
1940	NEWTON BISHOP DRURY	1951	CHARLES RUSSELL MASON
1941	ROBERT MOSES	1952	WALTER PRICHARD EATON
1942	FREDERICK LAW OLMSTED	1953	BENTON MACKAYE
1943	WILLIAM SUMNER APPLETON	1954	ROBERT WALCOTT



COURTESY OF MASSACHUSETTS STATE PLANNING BOARD

PROPERTIES OWNED AND PRIVATELY ADMINISTERED BY THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS—1891-1954

ALL RESERVATIONS ARE BIRD SANCTUARIES

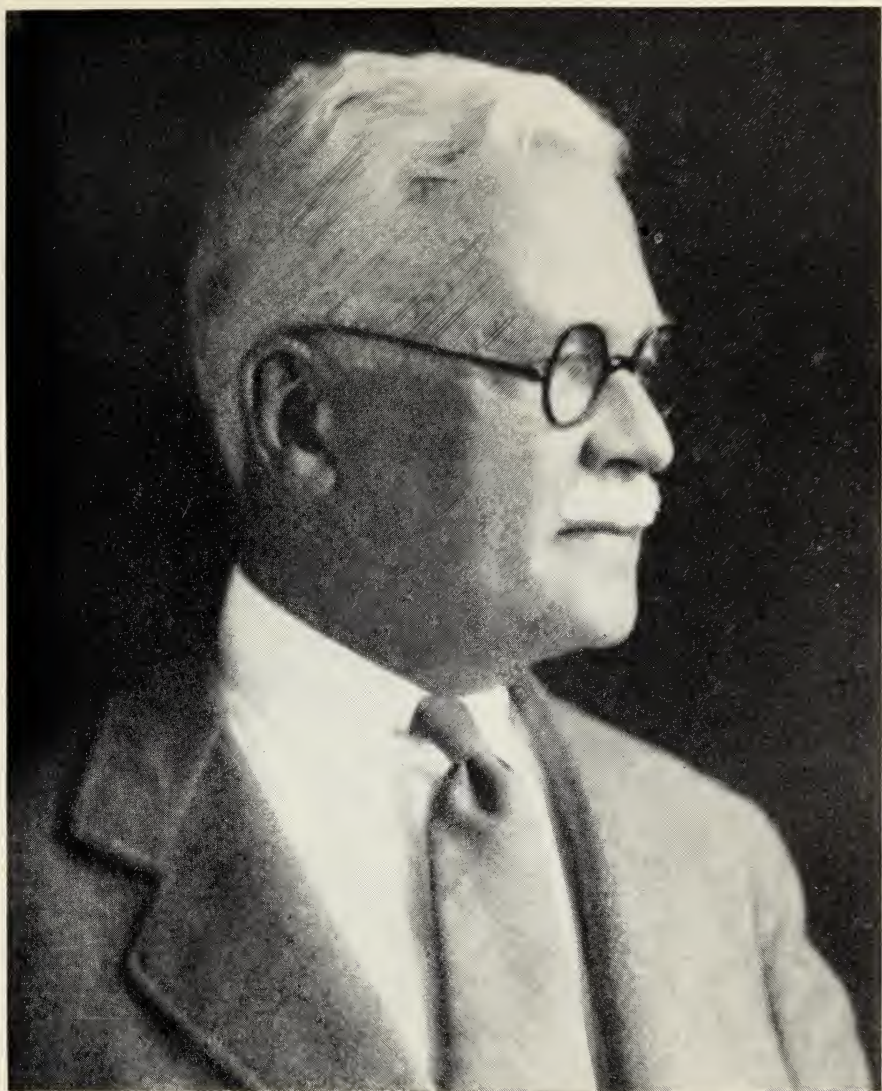
PROPERTIES

OWNED AND MAINTAINED BY

THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS

FIRST ACQUIRED	RESERVATION	PRESENT ACREAGE
1897	Mount Ann Park, Gloucester. By gift: 1897, 72 acres. Taken by Commonwealth of Massachusetts: 1932, 7 acres	65
1897	Rocky Narrows, Sherborn. By gift: 1897, 21 acres; 1940, 18 acres	39
1898	Governor Hutchinson's Field, Milton. By gift	10
1899	Monument Mountain Reservation, Great Bar- rington. By gift: 1899, 260 acres. Taken by Common- wealth of Massachusetts: 1953, 3½ acres	256½
1905	Petticoat Hill, Williamsburg. By gift: 1905, 50 acres. Through purchase: 1923, 10 acres	60
1928	William Cullen Bryant Homestead, Cummington. By bequest	240
1929	Chesterfield Gorge, West Chesterfield. Through pur- chase: 1929, 17½ acres; 1949, 4½ acres. By gift: 1950, 30 acres	52
1933	Whitney and Thayer Woods, Cohasset and Hing- ham. By gift: 1933, 643 acres; 1935, 25 acres (Bancroft Sanctuary); 1937, 20 acres; 1941, 10 acres; 1943, 28 acres; 1950, 8 acres. Through purchase: 1944, 60 acres; 1947, 53 acres; 1948, 5 acres; 1952, 6 acres. Taken by U. S. Govern- ment: 1942, 125 acres	733
1934	Medfield Rhododendrons, Medfield. By gift: 1934, 27 acres; 1936, 2 acres; 1937, 61 acres	90
1934	Halibut Point, Rockport. By gift: 1934, 12 acres; 1944, 5 acres. Through purchase: 1936, 28 acres. Deeded under authority of the Supreme Judicial Court: 1954, 32¾ acres	121¼

1935	Dinosaur Footprints, Holyoke. Through purchase	7½
1935	Misery Islands, Salem. By gift: 1935, 68 acres; 1938, 6½ acres; 1940, 5 acres. Through purchase: 1950, ½ acre	80
1936	Magnolia Shore, Gloucester. By gift	13
1936	Pine and Hemlock Knoll, Wenham. By gift	14
1939	Old Manse, Concord. Through purchase	8
1940	Charles W. Ward Reservation, Andover. By gift: 1940, 154 acres; 1941, 10 acres; 1944, 37 acres; 1945, 78 acres; 1950, ½ acre. Deeded to Mabel B. Ward: 1947, 3½ acres	276
1941	Elliott Laurel Reservation, Phillipston. By gift	25
1942	Rocky Woods, Medfield. By gift: 1942, 303 acres; 1946, 31 acres; 1948, 2 acres; 1949, 52 acres; 1950, 7 acres; 1951, 15 acres; 1953, ¼ acre	410¼
1942	Canaumet (Lowell Holly Reservation), Mashpee and Sandwich. By bequest	130
1944	Holmes Reservation, Plymouth. By gift	20
1945	Richard T. Crane, Jr., Memorial Reservation, Ipswich. By gift: 1945, 1000 acres; 1949, 50 acres. By bequest: 1949, 300 acres. Taken by Florence Crane Belosselsky: 1952, 55 acres. Taken by Town of Ipswich: 1953, 1.6 acres	1293
1946	Bartholomew's Cobble, Sheffield. Through purchase	30
1948	Mission House, Stockbridge. By gift	½
1951	Royalston Falls, Royalston. By gift: 1951, 200 acres; 1954, 5 acres	205
1952	Old Town Hill, Newbury. By gift	111
1952	Redemption Rock, Princeton. By gift	¼
1954	Chesterwood, Stockbridge. By gift	18



FRANCIS EDWARD FROTHINGHAM

1871-1954

He brought to THE TRUSTEES, as long-time member and as Treasurer since 1949, those qualities of dignity, vision, and enthusiasm which made so effective and outstanding his efforts to preserve all things beautiful wherever he found them. The dedication with which he labored to protect the Mount Monadnock of his New Hampshire home perhaps found its fullest expression for us in Massachusetts in his unrelenting defense of the beach at Ipswich, an intimate part of his family life for nearly fifty years, so that it also should continue to be "free and wild and beautiful, a haven of refuge for those who seek its peace in years to come."

MANAGEMENT OF RESERVATIONS

GENERAL POLICIES

To welcome the public on the Reservations, which are set aside for the enjoyment of natural beauty and the edification provided by historic places; they are not preserved as amusement parks.

To preserve THE TRUSTEES' lands in pristine condition.

To cherish handsome trees, native wildflowers, and shrubs.

To protect birds and wildlife.

To keep vistas open and excess scrub growth cut down.

To keep to a minimum all roads, paths, parking areas, picnic grounds, service buildings, etc., and where they are required to have them simple and inconspicuous.

To preserve historical landmarks.

LOCAL COMMITTEES OF MANAGEMENT

Preamble

All property of all Reservations, together with all their assets and liabilities, belongs to and is the responsibility of THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS.

THE TRUSTEES have delegated power to act to a Standing Committee, which determines policies, authorizes disbursements of monies, and stipulates the terms of use of the Reservations by the public.

To assist it the Standing Committee appoints a Local Committee for each Reservation to represent it in administration and to carry out the principles of THE TRUSTEES.

Composition

1. Individuals who have concern for the Reservation and will help administer and oversee it as circumstances require.

2. One or more members of the Standing Committee, when practicable.

3. One or more voting members of the Corporation of THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS, if practicable.

Duties

1. To arrange for the visiting public.

2. To receive income from fees payable for service rendered visitors; to help the Standing Committee find funds for normal and extraordinary expenses of the Reservation; and to report on the same according to regulations of the Standing Committee.

3. To hire, pay, and superintend such labor and buy such materials as may be required for construction and maintenance of the Reservation, and to account for the same according to regulations of the Standing Committee.

4. To protect the Reservation from injury and mistreatment.
5. To report annually to the Standing Committee on matters of current interest.
6. To make recommendations to the Standing Committee for such changes and improvements, construction, and emergency work as may be needed or desirable. This would include all undertakings which affect the permanent character of the area, such as increase of land holdings; tree felling; building of roads, major trails, and fire-breaks; designs for planting, shelters, service buildings, memorials, etc.; and alterations of existing buildings.
7. To keep on file in the office of THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS all rules and regulations controlling the administration of the Reservation, all of which must be agreed upon between the Local Committee and the Standing Committee.

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Study and appreciation of the Reservation are to be encouraged. Where feasible, descriptions of the land, local history, geology, botany, ecology, bird lore, and wildlife should be collected and published for the use of visitors.

Where conditions permit, a small area should be set aside in the Reservation where typical objects could be labeled to explain different kinds of rocks, plants, trees, etc., for the information of visitors.

BARTHOLOMEW'S COBBLE (SHEFFIELD)

WALTER PRICHARD EATON, *Chairman*

MRS. WILLIAM A. BERRIDGE

RODNEY PROCTER

MRS. LAWRENCE K. MILLER

ROBERT K. WHEELER

S. WALDO BAILEY, *Warden*

On the hottest day last summer Mr. Bates arrived from Boston with a motor band saw, and met the chairman of your Committee at the Cobble. Your Chairman was armed with an axe. Mr. Bailey, our Warden, was armed with advice, mostly negative. The purpose of this armed expedition was to cut down some of the redcedar trees which have grown so large in recent years that in many places they have obscured the views of the rock faces and cut off the vistas of the river. Your Chairman is happy to report that, after a few trees had come down and the Cobble began to assume the aspect it had years ago, with the handsome rock faces more conspicuous, Mr. Bailey no longer suffered when a tree fell, and by the second day was advocating enlarging still more the river vista.

Happily, the old building on the south bluff, long an eyesore, was at last torn down by the owner, and carted off. Where it stood is now one of the most attractive spots on the Cobble, and invites the visitor to sit down in the shade and contemplate the river view.

Unfortunately, there is nothing at present for him to sit on. Wooden benches would be out of place, and impermanent. What is needed

is a couple of plain stone benches, slate preferred, which could be anchored in cement. If some garden club could and would donate a pair—or even one—it would be a boon to those visiting the Cobble, particularly the more elderly ones.

It is always of interest to know who comes to the Cobble. In 1954 there were 1015 visitors, comprising 590 who paid fees totaling \$295, and 425 (or more) children from schools and camps. Visitors represented 23 states—from Maine to Washington, and Illinois to Florida—and 7 foreign countries, as far away as Belgium, Norway, Israel, and Japan.

Plants growing at the Cobble have now been listed to the extent of 650 species, including a few mosses, lichens, and fungi. The mosses and lichens represent a large field which still remains to be covered. The Warden has received promises from several specialists in these lines who, it is hoped, will sometime do a little work at the Reservation.

The hurricanes did no harm to this Reservation.

WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT HOMESTEAD (CUMMINGTON)

LESLIE PORTER

CONRAD G. GODDARD, *Chairman*

LINCOLN S. HOWES, *Warden*

This year the Homestead had more visitors than last year—192 in number, who were admitted at the regular 25-cent fee, and another 24 who were admitted outside of the regular hours and days at double the usual 25-cent fee. (These special admissions were part of an experimental policy.) The Local Committee believe that the regular rate could possibly be raised to 35 cents with advantage.

The main highway in the Valley (Route 9) has been in very good shape. With the prospective hard surfacing of the gravel road from West Cummington, the Homestead should be more accessible.

In order to eliminate a bend in the road to Cummington on Route 112, THE TRUSTEES have granted a right of way through their land direct to the four corners below the Homestead.

The greatest improvement this year was the installation of an oil-burning heating system in the major portion of the Homestead. This was necessary, as the beams in the cellar were found to be rotting due to their continual state of dampness.

The hurricanes did very little damage; one large limb fell away from the Homestead.

CANAUMET: LOWELL HOLLY RESERVATION (MASHPEE AND SANDWICH)

WILFRID WHEELER, *Chairman*

COLONEL BERNARD F. GORFINKLE

The fact that the holly trees in the Reservation bore practically no berries this past season was very noticeable, whereas a year ago there

was the largest crop of berries in many years. This leads to the thought that holly trees in the wild, when depending on nature's bounty for their plant food, exhaust themselves in overproduction every other year and, like some of the apples, have to take a year off to recuperate from the strain of a heavy overload of seed production.

It is very evident that some of the larger trees should be fed in order to restore the balance of plant food that they do not get in nature. Dr. H. H. Hume, in his book on hollies, recommends a fertilizer containing 4 per cent of nitrogen, 8 per cent of phosphate, and 4 per cent of potash spread on the surface at a rate of about three pounds per 1-inch diameter of the tree, so that a tree four inches in diameter would get twelve pounds of this formula. It would seem a very good idea to use this coming year a ton of this fertilizer, which would cost about \$65 plus the cost of application. Your Chairman's experience in the use of fertilizers on hollies proves not only that the berries are borne more abundantly each year but that both berry and leaf color are greatly improved. Animal manures are particularly good, but are difficult to get and expensive to apply. This fertilizer should be applied as early in the spring as possible.

As this Reservation becomes better known to both summer people and native residents, so is its use in the summer increasing; and this season has shown that its woodland is becoming more and more popular for picnics and its pond for boating and canoeing. It is evident from this season's use that the picnic area will have to be enlarged in the near future, for on Sundays and holidays the number of cars parked are becoming a problem. Also the presence of a warden on Sundays would simplify the problems that arise. One of these during the past season was the use of unmuffled motor boats launched from the Reservation's landings, which became a nuisance.

The rhododendron area was very beautiful this year, but here again the plants show the need of feeding. Probably the same fertilizer as that recommended for the hollies could be applied to the large rhododendron beds.

The hurricanes did no serious damage in the woods—nothing like that of 1944—but there are a good many broken branches beyond the picnic area to be cleaned up, and a few old trees that were blown down.

A major problem is the road to the picnic area, which is in bad condition. The whole road needs filling in the deep ruts, and the construction of passing places for cars that meet. Your Committee hope to accomplish this in 1955.

Two outside toilets installed during the season have greatly helped in solving a bad sanitary condition.

CHESTERFIELD GORGE (WEST CHESTERFIELD)

WINTHROP S. DAKIN, *Chairman*

AUBREY B. BUTLER

MRS. CLARENCE E. SWENSON

WILLIAM C. KELLOGG, *Custodian*

In 1954 the Gorge was enjoyed by 2139 visitors, according to the count of Mrs. Frank W. Thayer, who resides there. This is an increase of about 16 per cent over the count of the preceding year. Much of the credit for this increase is due to the work of the new Custodian, Mr. William C. Kellogg, of West Chesterfield, who assumed his duties in June.

RICHARD T. CRANE, JR., MEMORIAL RESERVATION
(IPSWICH)BRADFORD WILLIAMS, *Chairman*

CHARLES S. BIRD

DAVID C. CROCKETT

CORNELIUS CRANE

MAURICE M. OSBORNE

ROBERT WALCOTT

The 1954 summer season of enjoyment at Castle Hill closed at 11:10 A.M. on the morning of Tuesday, August 31, when the electric power was cut by the roaring force of "Hurricane Carol." Winds, comparable to those at Great Blue Hill, rose to a sustained maximum of 93 mph with gusts to 125 mph, the highest recorded since 1938. Minutes later, all roads on the Hill were blocked with fallen timber. Wooded areas—whole trees uprooted and lying flat or supported obliquely against their leaning neighbors; others snapped some twenty feet from the ground—resembled nothing so much as a woodland devastated by world-war gunfire. An inspection party crawling through and over the branches later in the day marveled at the perfect likeness of the fallen and leaning trees to a pile of jackstraws.

Fearful of what might await them, the little group pressed on to the top of the Hill, where they were amazed to find the Great House unshaken, watertight, and still ready for whatever might come. And it did come—in the form of a second blitz two weeks later. On September 11, "Hurricane Edna," while adding a seemingly impossible touch to the wind damage on the Hill, still could not undermine the strength of the House, even by water. That day Essex County measured 5.69 inches of rainfall within a few hours; and without power for the electric sump pump, water rose quickly in the sub-basement of the House to a height of three feet (to the furnace doors) before it could be checked by an emergency gasoline pump. There was no serious permanent damage to the structure, however, and the House finally emerged practically untouched by the two storms.

The magnitude of the clearing needed before restoration of the most seriously damaged plantings at Castle Hill—practically the entire southeast slope—can be contemplated is hardly to be imagined;

for some 750 trees seen in areas most frequented by the public were destroyed, and a true account of losses in the more densely wooded areas is impossible. The Castle Hill Foundation with its own funds made the initial clearing in order to re-tie the House to the outside world. The next most immediate work was made possible through the limited appropriation that the Local Committee could make available. More generous assistance has already been received, and even more promised, from THE TRUSTEES' Hurricane Fund, to which friends of Castle Hill have given unstintingly.

The Beach suffered no storm damage. Nestled below the dunes, the several buildings adjoining the parking area were well sheltered, and it was a simple matter to nail down a few rumpled shingles and to dig away the few tons of sand that had threatened to sweep over the rooftop of the bathhouse.

Summer on the New England coast in 1954 was by no means at its best. The exceptionally cool season was reflected in the attendance at Crane Beach; for by actual count only 47,376 out-of-town cars were parked, as against 53,529 in 1953. However, chartered buses came during the season to the number of 130 instead of 78. (Organized groups seldom cancel their beach plans merely because the chosen day proves to be cloudy and cool.) At final count the total number of Beach visitors from beyond the Ipswich town borders had numbered some 22,500 less than in 1953, or an approximate total of 194,444 persons (about the same as in 1952).

The lower attendance was felt in the Reservation's gross operating income, which totaled \$70,096.67 (as against \$78,216.60 in the preceding year). Through a careful policy of retrenchment, disbursements were held to \$76,487.31, which was \$9,251.97 less than in 1953. The net gain from the season's operations (including donations and reimbursements) of \$4,200.36, when added to the balance carried over from the previous year, left a cash balance of \$18,649.62 on December 31, 1954 (as against \$14,449.26 at the end of 1953). This balance, however, will have to cover the 1955 annual payment (\$7,006.83) to the Town of Ipswich under mutual agreement, which will be due on May 1; and furthermore must carry the Reservation during the first four months of 1955 (when there is no appreciable income), which it is barely expected to do.

Your Committee again feel it necessary to remind THE TRUSTEES that the size of the operations so far conducted at the Crane Memorial Reservation as indicated by total volume of business should not be regarded as any measure of the ultimate net earning power of the Reservation.

THE TRUSTEES' property on this Reservation has been well maintained during the year. However, the cutting action of sand in automotive equipment at the Beach continues to shorten the life of motor vehicles, thereby constituting a perennial problem. At the House, conversion from DC to AC current was completed during the

year, with the cost shared equally by THE TRUSTEES and the Castle Hill Foundation; and the retiring rooms on the ground floor of the House were extensively remodeled entirely at the cost of the Foundation—two instances of an increasing realization of the value of co-operation on the part of these two organizations.

During the year the Local Committee suffered a great loss in the death of one of its members, Francis E. Frothingham, but was strengthened through the addition of two new members, Cornelius Crane and David E. Crockett.

DINOSAUR FOOTPRINTS (HOLYOKE)

In statu quo

ELLIOTT LAUREL RESERVATION (PHILLIPSTON)

JOHN M. WOOLSEY, Jr., *Chairman*

F. W. ELLIOTT

HUGH M. RAUP

JOHN FISKE

MISS OLIVE SIMES

MRS. JOHN FISKE

MRS. HUGH TATLOCK

Some progress has been achieved during the winter months in clearing slash left behind by recent cutting operations. Further clearing of hardwood sprouts and overtopping trees is scheduled for the coming year.

It may be three or four years before the effects of the clearing operations fade away and the lower part of the Reservation recovers its handsomeness.

GOVERNOR HUTCHINSON'S FIELD (MILTON)

MISS HELEN C. GILBERT, *Chairman*

DR. J. DELLINGER BARNEY

MRS. EDWARD P. HAMILTON

DR. ALEXANDER FORBES

MRS. B. NASON HAMLIN

ROBERT L. SHEWELL

All was peaceful at Governor Hutchinson's Field during the spring and most of the summer of 1954. The usual numbers of people took advantage of the Reservation as they stopped to rest and enjoy the outlook.

Then on August 31, destructive "Hurricane Carol" (followed on September 11 by "Edna") blew down several trees near the edge of the Neponset River. These could not be seen at all from the hilltop, however, and the Local Committee waited until October 1 before holding a meeting on the spot and deciding what to do.

At that meeting the Committee were promised by the Milton Forestry Department that they would remove the fallen trunks and also cut additional trees nearby, which had grown tall enough partially to obstruct the view of the river.

Since this work has been done, the Committee realize more than ever the value of careful landscape maintenance and are grateful to the Department for doing such a good job.

HALIBUT POINT (ROCKPORT)

J. B. WITHERBY, *Chairman*

ALDRO T. HIBBARD

LOUIS H. D. MACLEOD

H. LAWRENCE JODREY, JR.

DR. DANIEL M. ROGERS

H. CHESTER STORY

The Standing Committee welcome three new active members on the Local Committee for Halibut Point: H. Lawrence Jodrey, Jr.; Louis H. D. MacLeod; and Dr. Daniel M. Rogers.

Plans are under way to improve Halibut Point as an attractive Reservation, with warden service on week-ends and holidays and a modest charge made for visitors. Plans are also being made for a larger parking space for the convenience of visitors.

At the request of the Standing Committee, the Rockport Board of Selectmen inserted an article in the Annual Town Meeting warrant for an appropriation to repair Gott Avenue. Your Committee are pleased to report that the Town voted \$1132 for this purpose. This improvement will make the entrance to Halibut Point much more attractive.

HOLMES RESERVATION (PLYMOUTH)

WILLIAM S. BREWSTER, *Chairman*

HENRY HORNBLLOWER, II

RAYMOND E. MISKELLY

JAMES A. WHITE

Because visitors to the Holmes Reservation are not allowed to park on Court Street, the Local Committee are planning to construct a parking space for some fifty cars—a proposal which has been approved in principle by the Town Planning Board.

Your Committee have arranged for the preparation of a preliminary plan, which will be submitted with cost estimates for approval by the Standing Committee.

The Plymouth County Farm will take over operation of the Holmes Field as far as the hay is concerned, for which they will pay a modest sum for each ton of hay taken.

MAGNOLIA SHORE (GLOUCESTER)

WILLIAM H. COOLIDGE, *Chairman*

HARVEY H. BUNDY

WILLIAM A. MCCARTHY

The season of 1954 brought an improved look to the ever popular Magnolia Shore.

The Boys Club of Magnolia spent many hours cutting out brush and dead trees, raking the parking area, and giving the site a much needed cleaning.

The City of Gloucester, at the request of THE TRUSTEES, constructed a road through the right of way, and continued a path to

Rafe's Chasm, thus eliminating the very dangerous footpath that had been used for so many years. The parking area was doubled in size, but it is still inadequate, due to the increased interest shown by tourists.

Your Committee have been assured by the City Manager that the old wooden fence now being removed will be replaced by something much more attractive, and that four street lights are to be installed along the road.

Two picnic tables and benches could be used to very good advantage.

MEDFIELD RHODODENDRONS (MEDFIELD)

JOHN S. AMES, *Chairman*

BENJAMIN S. BLAKE

WALTER HUNNEWELL

MRS. JOHN WELLS FARLEY

MRS. AUGUSTIN H. PARKER

MRS. LOUIS A. FROTHINGHAM

MISS SYLVIA WARREN

A. A. KINGSBURY, *Warden*

During the summer of 1954, Taylor and Cox, foresters, did considerable work in clearing the Reservation of dead trees and trees that were casting too much shade on the rhododendrons. They employed very effectively a chipper, and added the residue to the path through the swamp. As a result of their work, the Reservation is much more attractive than ever before. Due to the rainy season and the cool weather, plus the clearing of excess shade, the plants grew exceedingly well in 1954 and are well budded for next year.

On August 31 "Hurricane Carol" did very little damage to the rhododendrons. There were a few down trees across the road and the path coming in through the woods. Through the kindness of two men from the Rocky Woods Reservation, the down trees were cleared.

The Chairman of the Local Committee made two trips to the Reservation with the Executive Director, Mr. Fletcher, during the year.

The Committee has suffered two losses by death during the year,—Walter Channing and H. Wendell Endicott. Walter Channing was the most interested person on the Committee, and did more than any other member to care for the Reservation. His death is a great loss which is felt especially by those who had the privilege of working with him.

MISERY ISLANDS (SALEM HARBOR)

(Local Committee being reorganized)

There is no warden service on the Islands at present, but the debris left by picnickers is picked up and burned from time to time.

Visitors must make their own arrangements to land as no float is presently maintained.

MISSION HOUSE (STOCKBRIDGE)

MISS MABEL CHOATE, <i>Honorary Chairman</i>	
HENRY W. DWIGHT, <i>Chairman</i>	CHARLES A. ACLY, <i>Clerk</i>
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<i>Vice Chairman</i>	<i>Fiscal Agent</i>
JOSEPH H. CHOATE, III	MISS MARIAN HAGUE
MRS. WILLIAM PENN CRESSON	LAWRENCE K. MILLER
WALTER PRICHARD EATON	FLETCHER STEELE

ARTHUR N. BARTLETT, *Custodian*

The final paragraph in the Local Committee's 1953 report discussed the decrease in attendance at the Mission House and ended with the hope that in 1954 they could report an increase. Mr. Bartlett's report at the Committee's annual meeting, however, showed that the downward trend was not reversed, the 1954 total being the smallest in several years.

In every other respect the Mission House had a most successful year. Mr. Bartlett continued his masterful maintenance of the buildings and grounds; the Committee members attended meetings and carried out their assigned duties; and due to rigid control of expenses the Committee were able to transfer \$1000 from their Surplus Income Account to their Special Reserve Savings Account.

But the decrease in attendance is a source of worry for the Committee. There seems to be no good reason to maintain this historical monument in such perfect condition, only to find fewer and fewer people taking advantage of what is offered them. Certainly the well-known, but never identified, "average man" has not lessened his interest in historical buildings. Certainly he and his family are visiting the Stockbridge community in greater numbers. Why does he not call on us? Perhaps he doesn't know we are here. This whole problem is uppermost in the mind of each Committee member, and all hope to have found the answer during the 1955 season.

The Committee were fortunate in not having any of their members or of the staff wish to resign during the year. Therefore, because no changes had to be made, the Committee continued to function as a working group without interruption.

MONUMENT MOUNTAIN (GREAT BARRINGTON)

ROBERT K. WHEELER, <i>Chairman</i>	
EDWARD H. ACTON	D. PERCY MORGAN
MRS. A. A. BERLE, JR.	RODNEY PROCTER
GEORGE D. DE GERSDORFF	MISS ALICE B. RIGGS
WALTER PRICHARD EATON	JOHN BUTLER SWANN

WILLIAM KEEFNER, *Warden*

The Reservation was back on a warden basis this year, and the Local Committee were able to give the public very good service throughout the season—and at a cost within line of the Reservation's income. Four new tables were purchased. The area had been

generally cleaned up the previous year when the Reservation was comparatively inactive due to the reconstruction of Route 7 and the lack of a warden.

The Committee hope that before summer some work can be done on the trails. Perhaps some thought should be given to the possibility of an arrangement with the state whereby the parking area could be operated under common management with similar state-owned areas nearby.

MOUNT ANN PARK (WEST GLOUCESTER)

MRS. HENRY DAVIS MINOT, 2ND, <i>Chairman</i>	
CLARENCE A. BIRDSEYE	HENRY M. CHANNING
JAMES J. MINOT	OTIS N. MINOT
MAURICE M. OSBORNE	

GUILFORD M. LOWE, *Warden*

Through the continued interest of Mr. Channing, further contributions were made during 1954 to the Henry Davis Minot Memorial Fund in the amount of \$3070. Now the Reservation has sufficient income from its endowment to make possible its management by a warden.

On June 18, some 100 members and friends of THE TRUSTEES were present at the dedication of the Henry Davis Minot Memorial. President Walcott gave a résumé of the history of the Reservation and of the life of Henry Davis Minot, in whose memory the Reservation was given. This was followed by a dedicatory address by the Reverend Charles E. Park. At the same time there was uncovered a bronze plaque of Henry Davis Minot, made by the sculptress Hilda Scudder Manning. This ceremony was followed by a light luncheon, after which many went to the top of the Reservation to see the marvelous view.

During the spring, a path had been made from the parking space on Route 128 to the summit of Mount Ann.

The hurricanes in September did considerable damage to the property, but not to that section where the luncheon tables and inscription are located. Your Committee have now obtained an estimate as to the cost of removing the fallen trees, and this will be considered at an early spring meeting. The fire hazard is considered to be great, and action is needed to clear the underbrush before the slash dries.

The publicity given by the papers to Mount Ann Park and the location of this Reservation on Route 128 with a comfortable parking space made by the Department of Public Works has added materially to the number of visitors, who have numbered 1000 or more since the dedication.

At the Local Committee meeting in early April, a permanent warden will be installed for the season. An entrance charge will be made for the privilege of enjoying this Reservation and the view from the top of Mount Ann.

THE OLD MANSE (CONCORD)

ANDREW H. HEPBURN, *Chairman*

MRS. STEDMAN BUTTRICK

RUSSELL H. KETTELL

MRS. RAYMOND EMERSON

MRS. GEORGE S. KEYES

HENRY H. FAY

WALTER K. SHAW

CHARLES L. WARD

MRS. HARRY CLEVELAND, *Custodian*MISS RUTH E. HELSHER, *Fiscal Agent*

Visitors to the Old Manse reached an all-time high—a total of 14,809.

There has been a growing appreciation of the influence of the late Miss Marion A. Barker, as Custodian of the Old Manse, from 1942 to her sudden death in 1954. She knew the history of the house thoroughly and loved every incident in its story. Her loyalty was uncompromising, and her work at the Manse was one of the great interests in her life. The Committee salute her memory.

Mrs. Harry Cleveland has accepted the Committee's proposal to take over as Custodian this coming spring. She plans to live in the Old Manse, which will be a great advantage from every point of view.

Expenditure of approximately \$800 will be necessary to make the house comfortable for occupancy, since at the present time there is no hot water and the lighting in many respects is inadequate.

If the Old Manse can continue to clear expenses, helped by the income from the increased endowment, the Committee should be able to take care of expected expenses without difficulty.

OLD TOWN HILL (NEWBURY)

MRS. GEORGE A. BUSHEE, *Chairman*

MRS. A. J. BARTON, JR.

CLIFTON LUNT

MRS. DEAN SNOW

JOHN P. MARQUAND

JOSEPH ILSLEY

ELLIOTT PERKINS

EDMUND SHEPARD

It is hard to remember exactly how Old Town Hill appeared before "Hurricane Carol," in five short minutes, changed its entire aspect.

Aside from 437 trees destroyed on the Old Town Hill estate, 200 were ruined on the Reservation. The estate men trimmed and cleared up broken branches on the elms and maples and worked on the leaning and broken pines in the Reservation. Fortunately, the old elm at the top of the Hill, called the "Temperance Tree," withstood the storm and will be fertilized when frost is out of the ground.

Sixty "No Shooting" signs were put out, which helped preserve some of the wildlife.

THE TRUSTEES' newly acquired chipper has done remarkable work. The estate men had not found time to get the branches and brush down from the top of the Hill, but with another day's use of the chipper, they hope to complete the work. Tree surgeons trimmed limbs and broken branches of the large elms.

PETTICOAT HILL (WILLIAMSBURG)

CHARLES SABO, *Chairman*

ROBERT F. COLLINS

MRS. ROBERT F. COLLINS

MRS. C. N. RHOADES

Attendance at the Reservation during the past year was about the same as in 1953. It seems that people no longer like to climb hills as they used to; they prefer to drive to the place where they want to go.

It is hoped that Petticoat Hill will have a larger number of visitors in 1955, for the town now has a hard road to the entrance of the Reservation.

PINE AND HEMLOCK KNOLL (WENHAM)

A. WINSLOW DODGE, *Chairman*

HORACE H. FOSTER

WILLIAM K. KOPP

GEORGE L. CANN, *Warden*

This Committee, reorganized under its continuing Chairman through the appointment of Mr. Foster and Mr. Kopp of Wenham as new members, will make a real effort to see that the Reservation will have proper supervision. THE TRUSTEES are very fortunate in having Mr. Cann, who lives nearby, to watch out for the Reservation's interests as Warden.

Unfortunately, the Pine and Hemlock Knoll was visited by the hurricanes of August and September. Although considerable damage was done, not nearly as much happened at the Reservation as might have. The Committee on Reservations were very helpful in supplying a chipper, power saw, and logger to clear up the greater part of the damage. The Local Committee will make an effort to see that the remainder of the debris is taken care of in the near future. Some of the logs were salvaged, and a little money was realized from their sale.

Suggestions from visitors will be greatly appreciated by the Local Committee.

REDEMPTION ROCK (PRINCETON)

In statu quo

ROCKY NARROWS (SHERBORN)

MRS. GEORGE LEWIS, JR., *Chairman*

HENRY M. BLISS

CHARLES E. LILLIE

JOHN GREW

WALTER H. PROBERT

DR. WILLIAM E. LADD

RICHARD SALTONSTALL

BRADFORD WILLIAMS

Fortunately the hurricanes "Carol" and "Edna" did not do too much damage to the picnic grounds of this Reservation. The area has been cleared and the brush burned. Wood has been piled for the fireplaces for another year. It is all in good order.

Frequent use is made of the Rocky Narrows by those who enjoy its woods and many lovely paths, as well as by groups of Boy Scouts.

ROCKY WOODS (MEDFIELD)

DR. JOEL E. GOLDTHWAIT, *Chairman*
MARIO PEDERZINI, *Executive Chairman*

FRANK G. HALEY
DANA B. JEFFERSON, JR.

ALDEN PEMBER
HOWARD TISDALE

DONALD J. BOURET, *Warden*

The growth of Rocky Woods Reservation goes on apace. Outwardly, there have been few changes, but these have been of great importance to the well-being of the Reservation. Since the last report, the residence for a Warden has been completed. A five-room log cabin with a full cellar and all modern conveniences, it is located at one side of the parking lot and overlooks Chickering Lake.

Also of major importance was the tarring of the entrance road and a part of the parking lot. Between snow removal in winter and dust in summer, the maintenance of this road has been a matter of great expense each year. The tarring of this area will largely eliminate this expense in the future.

Improvements in the main cabin consist of the installation of running water, a gas stove, and a refrigerator.

The physical changes in the Reservation which have been reported each year have resulted in a management problem. Today the Reservation handles large crowds the year around, and its income and expenses have both reached such proportions that the whole operation must be considered as a straight-forward business proposition and managed accordingly.

The Local Committee feel that their greatest accomplishment for the year just ended lies in this field of management. The Board of Governors of the Rocky Woods Club and the Local Committee of the Reservation have worked together in dealing with all matters pertaining to the Reservation. It is noteworthy that this group consists of ten men, all of whom are active. Meetings are held once a month, more often when necessary, and are always fully attended. These meetings start off with a supper prepared by two of the members, which is followed by a regular business meeting. The development of this management group to its present state of efficiency should not be underestimated. During the past years, inactive members have been dropped and replaced by others who have shown a willingness to assume the required responsibility. This has resulted in the present group, who give generously of their time and interest towards maintaining the Reservation at its present high level of efficiency.

Effective March 5, 1955, the Reservation will have a new resident Warden, Mr. Donald Bouret, who replaces Mr. Arnold Ripley, whose resignation was accepted by the Committee on February 25, 1955. Mr. Bouret is a trained forestry man, and is well qualified to undertake the development of the Reservation's 400 acres of forest land. He has been a member of the Rocky Woods Club Board of Governors,

and is thoroughly familiar with all aspects of the management of the Reservation. The Committee feel that they are very fortunate to obtain Mr. Bouret's services, and look forward with enthusiasm to a new era which will emphasize close co-operation between the Warden and the members of the Committee.

In closing, the Local Committee of Rocky Woods Reservation take this opportunity to invite all who read this report to visit the Reservation whenever possible to enjoy the skiing, skating, fishing, picnicking, and hiking in season, or just to lounge in the club house and enjoy one of the most beautiful spots in Massachusetts.

ROYALSTON FALLS (ROYALSTON)

GEORGE L. FOOTE, *Chairman*

WILLIAM ROGER GREELEY

The Royalston Falls Reservation was opened to the public in the spring of 1954. In this connection, and in order to provide access to the Falls from the high road without leaving the property of THE TRUSTEES, Mr. and Mrs. Foote made an additional gift of land to the Reservation amounting to six acres. A new path was cut across this new acquisition and joined to the old path at a suitable place. A small parking space was laid out at the entrance and signs erected. The path as re-routed is shorter, if a little steeper, than the old one.

The most important change was the construction of a fence of iron posts and wire along the east side of the chasm below the Falls. The building of the fence seemed a necessity in order to comply with accident insurance recommendations, but it was a regrettable necessity from an aesthetic standpoint. Time will undoubtedly make the fence less conspicuous. The road to the Reservation from Royalston remains rather primitive, but it is passable from May 15 on; and those who are willing to brave it will find a small but charming bit of wild rock and water.

CHARLES W. WARD RESERVATION (ANDOVER)

MRS. CHARLES W. WARD, *Chairman*

W. ABBOT CHEEVER

MRS. CHARLES C. KIMBALL

GEORGE K. SANBORN

The Ward Reservation went on as usual until the last of August, when along came "Hurricane Carol" and caused the suspension of telephones and electric lights, damage to acres of brush, and the uprooting of 160 timber-sized trees.

The Holt Association—a country-wide organization—had made arrangements for its annual reunion at the farm for Saturday afternoon, September 11, but the President, Alfred Holt of Williamstown, Mass., called it off because of hurricane predictions. This was the eleventh time they had planned to meet here, since their organization in 1921, with never a previous cancellation for weather.

The Local Committee have had considerable trash cleared up, and

look forward to the end of March when THE TRUSTEES' chipper with a crew of two men will cut up the fallen brush and spread it on the ground to rot and turn into mulch, to benefit many young trees already growing well.

This year has provided extra good skating on Pine Hole Pond (as on all ponds in Andover), which was enjoyed by sixty or seventy at one time.

During the season large picnic groups of Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts came by bus to the Solstice Stones at the summit of the Reservation.

John Campbell, the Forestry Guard, has kept a careful eye on the landscape from his tower.

Last year's report referred to permission given the New England Power Company to install a small emergency wireless control station on the Reservation. This structure proved its value during the hurricanes, maintaining contact with isolated repair crews working in the adjoining towns which would otherwise have been impossible.

WHITNEY AND THAYER WOODS

(COHASSET AND HINGHAM)

NATHAN W. BATES, *Chairman*

DR. HENRY F. HOWE

DR. A. K. PAINE

CLARENCE H. KNOWLTON

HERVEY W. SHIMER

JOHN F. VISSER, JR.

"Hurricane Carol," of course, was the biggest thing to happen at Whitney Woods in 1954. Damage to the picnic grove was extensive and discouraging, and roadside damage was almost as bad; but trees in the forest areas were largely spared. The Local Committee are grateful to Rocky Woods personnel, Mr. Mario Pederzini and Mr. Arnold Ripley, for assistance rendered in the preliminary work of making the roads passable. At the present writing, the grove has been made usable and a start has been made at clearing along the roads. Planting of native evergreen trees in areas of severe damage is contemplated.

The Committee's annual request for an old car for use in patrolling the woods, which was printed in their previous report, was answered by Mrs. Frederick H. Gillett with a gift of money to purchase such a car. The Committee are extremely grateful to Mrs. Gillett. They will certainly use these pages as a medium for publicizing all future needs!

Attendance varied very little from the 3000 people of the previous year. The first reservation for the coming summer was made early in January. The most popular month with Whitney Woods visitors is June, when during the first week the azaleas on Milliken Memorial Drive usually put on their best show.

The Cohasset Boy Scouts moved their log cabin from the Reservation's woods to Wheelwright Park, and the Committee were glad to let them have a few hurricane logs to replace those damaged in the moving process.

RESERVATIONS SECURED

IN FULL OR IN PART THROUGH THE ACTIVITIES OF THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS

BUT PRESERVED AND MAINTAINED BY OTHER AGENCIES

YEAR SECURED	RESERVATION	ACRES
1892	Virginia Wood, Middlesex Fells	20
1893	Metropolitan Park System, Boston	
1893	Province Lands, Cape Cod	2000
1894	Goodwill Park, Falmouth	78
1902	Pine Knoll, Sheffield	6
1907	Harvard Forest, Petersham	2100
1933	Boxford State Forest, Boxford	500
1933	Georgetown-Rowley State Forest, Rowley	700
1934	Breakheart Hill, Saugus and Wakefield	650
1934	Roland C. Nickerson State Forest Park, Brewster	1500
1934	John C. Robinson State Park, Agawam	1100
1935	Coes Pond, Worcester	7
1935	Gore Place, Waltham and Watertown	80
1936	Watatic Mountain, Ashburnham	130
1937	Willowdale State Forest, Ipswich and Topsfield	1900
1937	Allen's Ledge, Sharon (addition to Massachusetts Audubon Society's Sanctuary)	38
1942	Joseph Allen Skinner State Park, South Hadley	375
1949	Danvers Town Forest, Danvers	50

FOUNDERS

*Donors of money or property to the value of \$1000
and upwards since the foundation of
THE TRUSTEES in 1891*

This list does not include many founders, such as CHARLES ELIOT, CHARLES SPRAGUE SARGENT, NATHANIEL S. SHALER, HENRY P. WALCOTT, and others who have rendered service to THE TRUSTEES which cannot be valued in money.

1892

- *MRS. FANNY FOSTER TUDOR, Boston
Virginia Wood
- *MISS ELLEN CHASE, Brookline
\$1000 donation

1894

- *JOSEPH STORY FAY, Falmouth
Goodwill Park

1897

- *AUGUSTUS HEMENWAY, Canton
Rocky Narrows
- *WILLIAM MINOT, Boston }
- *CHARLES SEDGWICK MINOT, Milton . . . }
- *ROBERT SEDGWICK MINOT, Manchester . } Mount Ann Park, with
- *LAURENCE MINOT, Boston } \$1000 endowment

1898

- *MRS. MARY F. CUNNINGHAM, Brookline . }
 - *MRS. JOHN M. FORBES, Milton . . . }
 - EDWARD W. FORBES, Cambridge . . . }
 - *J. MALCOLM FORBES, Milton }
 - *GEORGE R. R. RIVERS, Milton }
 - *MISS MARY RIVERS, Milton }
 - *MRS. K. G. T. WEBSTER, Cambridge . }
 - *GEORGE WIGGLESWORTH, Milton . . . }
- Governor Hutchinson's
Field

1899

- *MISS HELEN C. BUTLER, New York
Monument Mountain Reservation, with \$2000 endowment

1902

- *JOSEPH S. GLOVER, Boston
\$2000 legacy

1903

- *MISS MARY E. DEWEY, Boston
Pine Knoll, with \$1000 endowment

1905

- *MRS. EDWARD W. NASH, Boston
Petticoat Hill, with \$1000 endowment

*Deceased.

1906

- *MISS HELEN C. BUTLER, New York
Additional \$5000 donation for Monument Mountain Reservation

1913

- *MISS SARAH B. FAY, Falmouth . . . } Additional land in
*HENRY H. FAY, Falmouth . . . } Goodwill Park

1914

- *HENRY PICKERING, Boston
\$5000 legacy

1923

- *ARTHUR F. ESTABROOK, Boston
\$30,500 legacy

1929

- *MRS. MINNA GODWIN GODDARD, New York
Bequest of Bryant Homestead, with \$10,000 endowment
CONRAD G. GODDARD, New York
Bryant Memorabilia

- *GEORGE WIGGLESWORTH, Milton
\$1000 donation for Mount Ann Park

1930

- *MISS JULIA SANDS BRYANT, New York
\$10,000 legacy for Bryant Homestead

1931

- *GEORGE WIGGLESWORTH, Milton
\$5000 legacy

1933

- JOHN S. AMES, Boston
\$2096 donation

- *ARTHUR N. MILLIKEN, Boston
\$5000 donation for Whitney Woods

- WHITNEY ASSOCIATES
Whitney Woods, with \$5000 endowment

- *JOHN C. PHILLIPS, Wenham
\$1500 donation

1934

- *JOHN C. PHILLIPS, Wenham
\$1000 donation for Halibut Point

1935

- MISS HELEN C. FRICK, Pittsburgh
\$1600 donation for Misery Islands

*MRS. WILLIAM H. MOORE, New York
\$1700 donation for Misery Islands

1936

*JAMES S. LEE, Boston }
*MRS. JAMES S. LEE, Boston } Magnolia Shore

*MRS. WILLIAM H. MOORE, New York
\$1100 donation for Misery Islands

*JOHN C. PHILLIPS, Wenham
Wenham Pine and Hemlock Knoll

1937

CHARLES S. BIRD, East Walpole
\$1000 donation for various publications

*RICHARD W. HALE, Dover
Additional land for Medfield Rhododendrons

*MRS. JAMES J. STORROW, Lincoln
\$2500 donation for Dinosaur Footprints

1938

CHARLES S. BIRD, East Walpole
\$1000 donation to General Fund

*MRS. JAMES J. STORROW, Lincoln
\$1000 donation for purchase of Old Manse

1939

CHARLES S. BIRD, East Walpole
\$350 donation for purchase of Little Misery Island
\$650 donation for General Fund

WILLIAM EMERSON, Cambridge
\$5000 donation for purchase of Old Manse

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, JR., New York
\$1000 donation for purchase of Old Manse

1940

ESTATE OF THEODORE C. HOLLANDER
Donation of land and house on Great Misery Island

MRS. CHARLES W. WARD, Andover
Charles W. Ward Reservation, with \$5000 endowment

1941

F. W. ELLIOTT, Petersham
Elliott Reservation

MISS OLIVE SIMES, Boston
\$2000 endowment for Elliott Reservation

*GEORGE LEWIS, JR., Sherborn }
MRS. GEORGE LEWIS, JR., Sherborn } Addition to Rocky
Narrows

CHARLES LAKEMAN WARD, JR., Concord
Addition to Ward Reservation

1942

DR. JOEL E. GOLDTHWAIT, Medfield
Rocky Woods, with endowment

*A. LAWRENCE LOWELL, Cambridge
Bequest of Lowell Holly Reservation, with \$10,000 endowment

1943

DR. CHARLES F. STUBE, Rockport
Addition to Halibut Point

MRS. EZRA R. THAYER, Hingham
Addition to Whitney Woods

1944

CHARLES S. BIRD, East Walpole
\$1000 donation for Bay Circuit map, and colored film for lecture

CORNELIUS CRANE, Ipswich
\$1000 donation to General Fund

*FRANCIS C. HOLMES, Plymouth
Holmes Reservation, with \$5000 endowment

*MISS HELEN W. HOLMES, Plymouth
\$5000 endowment for Holmes Reservation

MRS. CHARLES W. WARD, Andover
Addition to Ward Reservation

1945

*JOHN BALCH, Milton
\$5000 legacy, for endowment of Governor Hutchinson's Field

CORNELIUS CRANE, Ipswich
\$4000 donation to General Fund

*MRS. RICHARD T. CRANE, JR., Ipswich
Richard T. Crane, Jr., Memorial Reservation (at Castle Neck Beach)

DR. JOEL E. GOLDTHWAIT, Medfield
Addition to Rocky Woods, with \$10,000 additional endowment

IPSWICH BEACH ASSOCIATION, INC.
\$4703.85 donation for Crane Reservation

*PAUL B. MORGAN, Worcester
\$1500 donation for purchase of Bartholomew's Cobble

ESTATE OF MRS. EDWARD W. NASH
\$2914.33 legacy, for addition to Petticoat Hill endowment

MISS AMELIA PEABODY, Dover

\$1000 donation for purchase of Bartholomew's Cobble

MRS. CHARLES W. WARD, Andover

Addition to Ward Reservation

1946

ANONYMOUS (In memory of Edith Parsons Morgan, Stockbridge)

\$1000 donation for purchase and maintenance of Bartholomew's Cobble

CORNELIUS CRANE, Ipswich

\$3000 donation to General Fund

GARDEN CLUB OF AMERICA, INC., New York

\$1200 donation for purchase of Bartholomew's Cobble

DR. JOEL E. GOLDTHWAIT, Medfield

Addition to Rocky Woods

*PAUL B. MORGAN, Worcester

\$1000 donation for purchase of Bartholomew's Cobble

MISS AMELIA PEABODY, Dover

\$1000 donation to General Fund

1947

MISS MABEL CHOATE, Stockbridge

\$1000 donation to General Fund

CORNELIUS CRANE, Ipswich

\$3000 donation to General Fund

MISS AMELIA PEABODY, Dover

\$500 donation to General Fund

\$500 donation for maintenance of Bartholomew's Cobble

1948

CORNELIUS CRANE, Ipswich

\$2564.56 donation to General Fund

1 jeep equipped for fire fighting, appraised at \$2350

1 motor boat, appraised at \$2500

1 life-saving inhalator, appraised at \$250

DR. JOEL E. GOLDTHWAIT, Medfield

\$8000 donation to General Fund

1 station wagon, appraised at \$500

STOCKBRIDGE MISSION HOUSE ASSOCIATION

Mission House

MISS MABEL CHOATE, Stockbridge

\$100,000 endowment for Mission House

1949

CORNELIUS CRANE, Ipswich

Addition to Crane Memorial Reservation

\$7672.37 donation to General Fund

- *MRS. RICHARD T. CRANE, JR., Ipswich
Bequest of Castle Hill as addition to Crane Memorial Reservation
- HEIRS OF JOSEPH STORY FAY
\$4000 donation through cession of claim to reimbursement on
account of Goodwill Park, taken by Town of Falmouth
- DR. JOEL E. GOLDTHWAIT, Medfield
\$9500 donation to General Fund
\$1000 addition to Rocky Woods endowment
- *STANLEY KING, Amherst
\$1000 donation for purchase of addition to Chesterfield Gorge
- MISS JESSIE GWENDOLEN MORSE, Medfield
Addition to Rocky Woods
- *MRS. JOHN F. TYLER, Boston
\$1000 donation to General Fund

1950

- MISS NANNIE ALEXANDER, Boston
\$1000 donation for Castle Hill
- CORNELIUS CRANE, Ipswich
\$7000 donation for Castle Hill
- DR. JOEL E. GOLDTHWAIT, Medfield
\$16,000 donation for Rocky Woods
\$1000 donation for Rocky Woods endowment
- JOSEPH A. SAPONARO, Hingham
Addition to Whitney Woods

1951

- ANONYMOUS
\$1823.78 donation for Bartholomew's Cobble
- THE PRINCESS BELOSSELSKY-BELOZERSKY, Ipswich (In memory
of Mrs. Richard T. Crane, Jr.)
\$1500 donation toward restoration of Rose Garden, Castle Hill
- CORNELIUS CRANE, Ipswich
\$12,075.67 donation for new approach road, Castle Hill
\$3000 donation for Castle Hill
- GEORGE L. FOOTE, Boston
Royalston Falls
- DR. JOEL E. GOLDTHWAIT, Medfield
\$9000 donation for Rocky Woods
Addition to Rocky Woods
- *MRS. JOEL E. GOLDTHWAIT, Medfield
\$2500 donation for recreation cabin at Rocky Woods

HARLAN P. KELSEY, East Boxford
\$1940.02 donation for Italian Garden, Castle Hill

1952

SIDNEY L. BEALS, West Newton
\$5472.50 donation to General Fund

CHARLES S. BIRD, East Walpole
\$1500 donation to General Fund

MRS. GEORGE A. BUSHEE (In memory of Wilmot R. and Florence
C. Evans), Newbury
Old Town Hill, with \$5000 endowment

MRS. HENRY M. CHANNING, Sherborn
\$5184.38 donation to Henry Davis Minot Memorial Fund

CORNELIUS CRANE, Ipswich
\$3000 donation for Castle Hill

DR. JOEL E. GOLDTHWAIT, Medfield
\$11,271.11 donation for Rocky Woods

*HENRY DAVIS MINOT, 2ND, Riverside, Connecticut
\$4000 donation to Henry Davis Minot Memorial Fund

SEDGWICK MINOT, Hollywood, California
\$3612.50 donation to Henry Davis Minot Memorial Fund

RODNEY PROCTER, Stockbridge
\$1000 donation to Bartholomew's Cobble endowment

1953

SIDNEY L. BEALS, West Newton
\$2939.93 donation to General Fund

BELOSSELSKY-CRANE FOUNDATION, INC., Ipswich
\$1030 donation for Castle Hill

CORNELIUS CRANE, Ipswich
\$3510 donation for Castle Hill
\$7980 for improvement of Castle Hill roads

DR. JOEL E. GOLDTHWAIT, Medfield
\$13,716.51 donation for Rocky Woods
Addition to Rocky Woods

*MRS. CONRAD P. HATHEWAY, South Lincoln
\$1000 donation to General Fund

ESTATE OF HELOISE MEYER
\$1000 legacy for General Fund

DR. HENRY DAVIS MINOT, JR., Dedham
\$1000 donation to Henry Davis Minot Memorial Fund

ROBERT S. MINOT, Phoenix, Arizona

\$2965 donation to Henry Davis Minot Memorial Fund

ROCKY WOODS CLUB, Medfield

Snow removal equipment for Rocky Woods, appraised at
\$1615.40

1954

CASTLE HILL FOUNDATION, Ipswich

\$3478.55 for improvements at Castle Hill

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Your bequest to THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS will enable them to acquire additional beautiful and historic places in Massachusetts, and to maintain them open to the public under suitable regulations.

FORM OF BEQUEST TO THE TRUSTEES

"I give, devise and bequeath to THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS, a Corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the sum of \$. to be applied to the general uses and purposes of said Organization."

CO-OPERATING SOCIETIES

1954

It is suggested that, when any Local Society expresses its willingness to co-operate with THE TRUSTEES, the following procedure should be followed:

1. That the Society should appoint and regularly maintain a committee on preservation of places of natural beauty or historic interest; and that these local Preservation Committees should watch all beautiful and historic places within the area covered by the membership of the Society, and should inform the Standing Committee of THE TRUSTEES of any case where their intervention might be helpful.

2. That a rough register of beautiful and historic places in the region covered by the membership of the Society should be compiled by the members of this local Preservation Committee, and that a copy of the list so compiled should be filed at the office of THE TRUSTEES.

3. That the members of the local Preservation Committee should, as far as possible, endeavor to preserve these places through appeal to local pride.

4. That the members of the local Preservation Committee should undertake to distribute, from time to time, literature issued by THE TRUSTEES.

5. That, in order to facilitate the work of THE TRUSTEES, the members of the local Preservation Committee should undertake to further the growth of support for THE TRUSTEES.

The following columns comprise a list of Societies whose officers have signified their intention to co-operate with THE TRUSTEES in the field of preservation work.

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Amherst, Garden Club of
Auburndale Garden Club

Belmont Garden Club
Bennington Garden Club (Vermont)
Berkshire Garden Club, Pittsfield
Beverly Improvement Society
Braintree Garden Club
Bristol Boys' Club (Connecticut)
Brockton Garden Club
Brookline, Garden Club of
Brookline Historical Society

Canton Antiques Study Group
Cape Ann Garden Club
Carlisle Historical Society
Chelmsford Garden Club
Chestnut Hill Garden Club
Cohasset Garden Club
Concord Woman's Club
Continued Interest Club (Boston)

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Duxbury, Community Garden Club of
Duxbury Garden Club
Duxbury Rural and Historical
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Fall River Garden Club
Falmouth Garden Club
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Society (Boston)

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Chapter

New England Women's Club
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(Connecticut)

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Petersham Historical Society

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Society of
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Rocky Woods Club (Medfield)

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Museum, Inc. (Rockport)
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Scituate Garden Club
Sharon Garden Club
Sharon Woman's Club (Connecticut)
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(New Jersey)

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(Methuen)

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(Needham)

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Waltham Garden Club, The
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¹ Many names appearing in this list will also be found on pages 38 to 49 in the list of Founders and Life Associates.



MOUNT ANN PARK

View east over Haskell's Pond

One of the highest points on the North Shore, about two hundred and twenty-five feet above the sea level, a small mountain of solid granite, pine-clad, in the midst of a forest wilderness, extraordinarily extensive in these days for Eastern Massachusetts. The ocean view extends in clear weather northeasterly as far as Mount Agamenticus, near York, Maine. The ocean is visible over half the horizon from northeast to southwest, the South Shore being visible and the outer part of Boston Harbor, with the Blue Hills of Milton beyond. The other half of the panorama is almost all charmingly diversified forest and wooded hills, with Wachusett, Monadnock, and other mountains visible in the far distance on the clearest days.

(The above is a true description of the view from Mount Ann Park in the mid-twentieth century; but it is quoted from The Trustees' annual report for the year 1897.)



MOUNT ANN PARK
New approach to summit

The woodland has the extraordinary variety characteristic of the North Shore, and is full of fine boulders and ledges. A beautiful ravine, densely covered with tall hemlocks and full of rocks and boulders covered with moss, ferns, and lichens, lies almost at the beginning of the path.

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Rich, Harold A.....	† (C)	Saval, Maurice H.....	(A)
Richmond, Mrs. Carleton R.....	* (A)	Sawyer, Miss Anna Weld.....	(A)
Riddle, Mrs. William C.....	(C)	Saxton, Mrs. Martha P.....	(A)
Righter, Miss Jessie H.....	† (C)	Sayles, Mrs. Robert W.....	(C)
Riley, Miss Mabel Louise.....	(A)	Scharnberg, Oliver H.....	(A)
Rinsma, Mrs. Cornelius.....	(C)	Schneider, Miss Elizabeth.....	* (C)
Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. Ellor C.....	(C)	Schortemeir, F. E.....	† (C)
Robb, Russell.....	(A)	Schweinfurth, Charles.....	* (A)
Robb, Mrs. Russell, Sr.....	* (S) (L)	Scituate Garden Club.....	(A)
Robbins, Robert M.....	* (A)	Scorgie, Dr. Helen C.....	* (C)
Robertson, Mrs. Kenneth D.....	* (A)	Scott, Mrs. Clement S.....	* (A)
Robinson, A. D.....	* (A)	Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Donald.....	* (A)
Robinson, Dwight P., Jr.....	(A)	Scully, Frank P.....	(C)
Robinson, Mrs. Joseph P.....	(A)	Seamans, Mrs. Robert C., Jr.....	† (C)
Robinson, Miss Harriet E.....	† (C)	Sears, Edwin B.....	(C)
Robinson, Miss Mary Calcina.....	(C)	Sears, Miss Evelyn G.....	(A)
Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. John L.....	† (A)	Sears, Mrs. Francis P.....	(S) (L)
Rockport Garden Club, Inc.....	(A)	Sears, Lewis, Jr.....	† (C)
Rockwood, Mrs. E. F.....	(S) (L)	Sears, Mrs. Richard.....	(C)
Rocky Woods Club (Medfield).....	(S) (F)	Seaver, Henry Latimer.....	* (A)
Rogers, Miss Bertha F.....	(S) (L)	Seaver, Miss Minnie S.....	(A)
Rogers, Dr. and Mrs. Horatio.....	(A)	Sedgwick, Ellery.....	(S) (L)
Rollins, Edwin B.....	* (C)	Seibert, Miss Elma.....	(C)
Rood, Mrs. Stanley H.....	* (A)	Senior, Mrs. John L.....	(A)
Roper, Miss Alice E.....	* † (A)	Sewall, Miss Jane.....	(C)
Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Milton C.....	* (A)	Sewing Circle, 1902 (Sharon).....	† (A)
Rosenthal, James M.....	(C)	Seymour, James K.....	† (C)
Ross, Mrs. J. Clifford.....	(C)	Sharon Garden Club.....	* (A)
Ross, K. W.....	(A)	Sharples, Philip P.....	* (L)
Rostow, Mrs. W. W.....	(C)	Shattuck, George C.....	* (S) (L)
Rowbotham, Mrs. Volney G.....	(C)	Shattuck, Henry L.....	(S) (L)
Rowell, James G.....	(S) (L)	Shattuck, Miss Ruth.....	(S) (L)
Rowley, Mrs. Leonard W.....	(C)	Shaw, Mrs. C. A.....	† (C)
Rübel, C. Adrian.....	(C)	Shaw, Oscar M.....	(A)
Ruff, Miss Eleanor C.....	* † (C)	Shaw, Mrs. Sohler.....	* (A)
Runkle, Mrs. John C.....	* (A)	Shaw, Mrs. T. Mott.....	(A)
Russell, Miss Frances.....	(C)	Shepard, Miss Emily B.....	* (A)
Russell, Mrs. Harry B.....	(A)	Shepard, Mrs. F. J., Jr.....	(A)
Russell, Richard M.....	* (A)	Shepard, Miss Grace F.....	* (A)
Russell, Mrs. Richard S.....	(A)	Shepard, Mrs. Thomas H.....	(C)
Ryan, Mrs. Edward F.....	† (C)	Sherman, Albert C., Jr.....	(A)
Sabine, Mrs. Charles W.....	* (A)	Sherwood, Miss Rosamond.....	(A)
Sachs, Paul J.....	(C)	Shewell, Robert L.....	(A)
Sack, Israel.....	† (C)	Shimer, Hervey W.....	* (C)
Sallar, William B.....	† (C)	Shipman, Mrs. Wayne M.....	* (C)

Shriner, Mrs. V. U.	†(C)	Stevens, Ernest N.	*(A)
Shurcliff, Arthur A.	(C)	Stevens, Ezra F.	†(C)
Shurcliff, Sidney N.	(A)	Stevens, Mrs. Howell	†(C)
Shurcliff, Mr. and Mrs. William A.	(A)	Stevenson, E. P.	†(A)
Shurtleff, Miss Dorothy H.	†(C)	Stevenson, Robert H.	(A)
Simes, Miss Olive	(S)(F)	Stewart, Walter N.	†(A)
Simmons, George B.	(A)	Stoddard, James L.	(A)
Simon, Walter O.	(A)	Stoddard, Mrs. Robert W.	(A)
Simonds, Mrs. Lincoln S.	(C)	Stokes, Anson Phelps	(A)
Sloan, Mrs. Bertha G.	*(C)	Stokey, Miss Alma G.	(C)
Small, Edwin W.	(A)	Stone, Edward C.	(A)
Smith, Cecil H.	(A)	Stone, Malcolm B.	(A)
Smith, Mrs. C. Wharton	†(A)	Stone, Melvin L.	†(C)
Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Dan T.	*(A)	Stone, Robert G.	(A)
Smith, Edwin W.	(A)	Stone, Mrs. Robert G.	(A)
Smith, Eric Parkman	*(C)	Stoneham Woman's Club	(C)
Smith, Miss Fannie Allen	*(A)	Storer, John H.	(A)
Smith, Mrs. Frank C., Jr.	(S)(L)	Storer, Mrs. Robert T. P.	(C)
Smith, Dr. and Mrs. George Gilbert	(A)	Storer, Theodore L.	(A)
Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Harold C.	(C)	Storey, Edward J.	†(A)
Smith, Herbert P.	(C)	Storke, Harold G.	*(A)
Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Louis C.	(A)	Story, H. Chester	*(A)
Smith, Miss M. Pansy	(C)	Story, Joseph	(A)
Smith, Miss Mary Byers	*(A)	Stout, Mrs. John D., Jr.	(C)
Smith, Miss Mary L.	(C)	Stowe, Raymond T.	*(A)
Smith, Morgan K.	(A)	Stowers, Miss Sarah G.	*(C)
Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Richard I.	(C)	Straub, Mrs. Otto G. T.	(C)
Smith, Roger V.	†(C)	Straus, Mrs. June Hookey	*(A)
Smith, The Misses	†(C)	Strobridge, Richard L.	(S)(L)
Snelling, Miss Eleanor R.	(C)	Stuart, Miss Louise	(C)
Snelling, Robert E.	*(A)	Sullivan, Bernard M.	(A)
Snow, Mrs. Dean	†(A)	Sullivan, Mrs. Lynde	(C)
Snow, William B.	(A)	Swain, Mrs. Richard	(C)
Sohier, Miss Adelaide C.	†(A)	Swanton, John R.	*(C)
Sohier, Miss Mary D.	†(C)	Swart, Roland Burbank	†(A)
Solow, Mrs. Robert M.	(C)	Sweet, Miss Inez E.	(C)
Somerset Hills Garden Club (N. J.)	(A)	Sweet, Dr. and Mrs. Richard H.	(A)
Sons of American Revolution, Brig. Gen. Joseph Frye Chapter (Methuen)	*(A)	Sweetland, Ralph	(A)
South Shore Nature Club	(C)	Sweitzer, Leonard E.	(C)
Spain, Miss Anne H.	(C)	Swenson, Mrs. Clarence E.	(S)(L)
Spang, Joseph P., Jr.	(A)	Swett, Charles C.	*(A)
Spanier, Libbe F.	†(C)	Synnott, Miss Beatrice C.	(C)
Spark, Dale M.	(S)(L)		
Spencer, Mrs. Harvey	†(C)	Taber, George H., Jr.	†(A)
Sprague, Howard B.	†(C)	Taber, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell	*(A)
Springfield Garden Club	*(A)	Taft, Edgar B.	*(C)
Spungin, Mrs. Jacob	(C)	Talbot, Mrs. James	†(A)
Spurr, Mrs. J. E.	(C)	Tappan, Ernest S.	*(C)
Squantum Women's Club	*(C)	Tarr, Miss Alice O.	†(C)
Stalker, Hugh	†(A)	Taylor, Charles H.	(S)(L)
Staples, Paul C.	†(C)	Taylor, Lucien B.	(C)
Starr, Donald C.	(A)	Taylor, Myron C.	†(C)
Stearns, A. Warren	(A)	Terry, Mrs. Ruth K.	(A)
Steele, Fletcher	*(A)	Terry, Miss Sarah M.	*(A)
Stebbins, Livingston	(L)	Thayer, Mrs. Ezra R.	(S)(F)
Sterling, Lester O.	†(A)	Thayer, Mrs. Sherman R.	(A)
Stevens, Miss Amy W.	†(A)	Thomas, Mrs. E. B.	(C)
Stevens, Miss Anne	(C)	Thomas, Mrs. Ralph D.	(C)
Stevens, Miss Edith M.	*(A)	Thompson, Peter Hunter	(A)
		Thorndike, Miss Alice	*(A)

Thorndike, Augustus.....	(A)	Warren, Miss Winifred B.....	*(A)
Thorpe, Miss Alice L.....	†(C)	Warthin, T. A.....	†(C)
Thurston, Edward D., Jr.....	(C)	Washburn, Miss Ruth W.....	*(A)
Tilghman, Mrs. Benjamin C.....	(A)	Washburn-Scott, Mrs. S. Annette.....	†(C)
Tilton, Henry O.....	(L)	Watson, Miss Antoinette G.....	(C)
Tilton, Thomas A.....	(C)	Watson, Mrs. Donald C.....	(A)
Timmins, Mrs. George H.....	*(A)	Watson, Mrs. George H.....	(A)
Todd, Thomas.....	*(A)	Watters, Miss Sarah L.....	†(C)
Torbert, James R.....	*(A)	Wayland Garden Club.....	(A)
Tousey, Mrs. Coleman.....	*(A)	Wearn, Dr. and Mrs. J. T.....	†(A)
Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Charles.....	*(C)	Weatherby, Mrs. C. A.....	§(L)
Townsend, Miss Gertrude.....	(A)	(In memory of Charles A. Weatherby)	
Townsend, Mrs. Robert W.....	*(C)	Webster, Mrs. Edwin S.....	*(L)
Tozzer, Mrs. Alfred M.....	*(A)	Webster, Louis A.....	(A)
Train, Middleton.....	*(A)	Weems, Mrs. F. Carrington.....	(A)
Tucker, Mrs. Carl.....	(A)	Weis, Mrs. Herbert A.....	†(C)
Tuckerman, Bayard, Jr.....	(A)	Welch, James O.....	†(A)
Tudor, Mrs. Henry D.....	*(A)	Weld, Miss Elizabeth R.....	(C)
Turner, Howard M.....	*(C)	Wellesley Garden Club.....	*(A)
Twitchell, Mrs. Paul S.....	*(C)	Wellington, Raynor G.....	(C)
Upham Family Society, Inc.....	(C)	Wellman, Mr. and Mrs. Sargent H.....	(C)
Usher, Donald K.....	†(C)	Wentworth, Mrs. Stafford.....	(C)
Valentine, Mrs. Elizabeth A.....	*(C)	West, Miss Nancy.....	†(C)
Van Wyck, Philip.....	†(C)	West Newton Garden Club.....	*(A)
Ventres, Mrs. Henry W.....	(C)	West Roxbury, Harbinger Club of.....	(C)
Vershbow, Herman.....	(C)	Weyerhaeuser, Mr. and Mrs. Carl A.....	(A)
Vic's Caterers.....	†(A)	Wharton, William P.....	§(L)
Vickery, Mrs. Robert G.....	(C)	Wheeler, A. E.....	(C)
Villmow, Mrs. Dorothy Ann.....	(C)	Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander.....	†(A)
Wade, Francis C.....	(A)	Wheeler, Berkeley.....	(A)
Wadsworth, Mrs. William.....	(C)	Wheeler, Wilfrid.....	(A)
Wagner, Miss Eva K.....	*(A)	Wheelwright, George W.....	*(A)
Waite, Miss Emma Forbes.....	(A)	Wheelwright, Mrs. Henry M.....	(C)
Wakefield, Mrs. G. K.....	(A)	Whitcomb, Miss Eleanor E.....	*(A)
Waksman, Byron H.....	†(C)	Whitcomb, Miss Merle.....	†(C)
Walcott, Charles F.....	*(L)	Whitcomb, Mrs. W. A.....	*(A)
Walcott, Robert.....	§(L)	White, Dr. Charles J.....	*(A)
Wales, Quincy W.....	(A)	White, Mrs. Eva Whiting.....	(C)
Walker, Edgar T. P.....	(C)	White, H. Bowen.....	*(A)
Wallace, Mrs. Douglas V.....	*(A)	White, H. Wade.....	†(A)
Waltham Garden Club.....	(C)	White, James C.....	*(A)
Wambaugh, Mrs. Miles.....	(C)	White, James N.....	(L)
Wannemacher, Edward H.....	(C)	White, Paul Dudley.....	†(A)
Ward, Mrs. Charles W.....	§(F)	White, Mrs. Wilfrid O.....	*(A)
Ward, Edgar.....	*(§(L))	Whiting, Arthur St. J.....	(C)
Wardwell, Hubert M.....	(A)	Whiting, Edward Clark.....	*(A)
Ware, Mrs. Charles E., Jr.....	(C)	Whiting, Mrs. Mason T.....	(C)
Ware, Henry.....	*(A)	Whitney, Miss Margaret.....	(C)
Wareham Garden Club.....	*(A)	Whitney, Mr. and	
Warner, Mrs. Donald J.....	*(A)	Mrs. Theodore T., Jr.....	(C)
Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Langdon.....	(A)	Whitridge, Arnold.....	†(A)
Warner, Mrs. Roger S.....	(C)	Whitridge, Mrs. Arnold.....	(A)
Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Charles.....	*(†)	Whittemore, Frederick W.....	(A)
Warren, Miss Ednah Abigail.....	(C)	Wilcox, Mrs. E. Gillette.....	(C)
Warren, Mrs. Fiske.....	†(A)	Wilde, Mrs. Albion D.....	(C)
Warren, G. H.....	†(C)	Wilkinson, J. Humphrey.....	(C)
Warren, Henry E.....	*(§(L))	Williams, Mrs. E. M.....	†(A)
		Williams, Miss Elizabeth T.....	†(C)
		Williams, Mrs. Horace D. H.....	(C)
		Williams, Mrs. John B.....	(C)

<i>Williams, L. Ware</i>	* (A)	Wollaston Garden Club.....	(C)
<i>Williams, Mrs. Moses</i>	(C)	<i>Wood, Cornelius A.</i>	* (S) (L)
<i>Williams, Mrs. Sydney M.</i>	* (A)	<i>Wood, James Barrett</i>	(C)
<i>Williams, Miss Winifred B.</i>	(C)	<i>Wood, Raymond D.</i>	(C)
<i>Williamson, Mrs. Frederic E.</i>	† (A)	<i>Woodard, Clifford A.</i>	* (C)
<i>Williston, Miss Emily</i>	* (A)	<i>Woodcock, Miss Bernice A.</i>	* (A)
<i>Williston, Samuel</i>	* (A)	<i>Woodward, Miss Alice</i>	(C)
<i>Wilmot, Mrs. Wesley P.</i>	(C)	<i>Woolsey, Mrs. John M.</i>	(A)
<i>Wilson, Miss Irene</i>	(C)	<i>Woolsey, John M., Jr.</i>	(A)
<i>Wilson, J. J.</i>	† (C)	<i>Worcester Garden Club</i>	(A)
<i>Wilson, J. Thomas</i>	* † (C)	<i>Worthington, Mrs. Donald</i>	(C)
<i>Winslow, Robert B.</i>	(C)	<i>Wrenn, George L., 2nd</i>	† (A)
<i>Winthrop, Miss Clara B.</i>	(A)		
<i>Winthrop, Sarah T., Memorial Fund.</i>	† (L)	<i>Yarwood, George A.</i>	† (C)
<i>Wirth, Mrs. Jacob</i>	† (A)	<i>Young, Miss Alice Maples</i>	* (A)
<i>Wise, Mrs. Harold W.</i>	(C)	<i>Young, B. Loring</i>	(A)
<i>Wislocki, Mrs. George B.</i>	* (A)	<i>Young, Benjamin S.</i>	(C)
<i>Wolffers, Jules</i>	* (A)	<i>Young, Mrs. Charles M.</i>	† (C)

BEQUESTS TO THE TRUSTEES

Those who work with THE TRUSTEES are keenly aware of the handicaps under which this corporation operates by reason of insufficient funds left to it through bequest.

An appeal to preserve from threatened destruction a beautiful gorge or a wild and unspoiled ocean headland always brings immediate and generous response; there is a definite resulting gain which is evident in the form of an additional item in the list of "Properties Held." But those who examine the Report of the Treasurer (see pp. 7-8 of this book) are asked to remember that in every year a large amount of work has to be done which yields no immediate or visible return. Some negotiations which have to be undertaken prove fruitless, while others may not result in the acquisition of property until some years later.

THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS receive no public funds whatsoever.

The sole support for the work of THE TRUSTEES comes through voluntary annual subscription, together with the unrestricted income from a very limited endowment. Your Standing Committee, on behalf of THE TRUSTEES as a self-perpetuating body, appeals to everyone who loves the shore and countryside of this Commonwealth—and who would see its remaining beauty preserved—to arrange personally, or to suggest the arrangement of, benefactions to THE TRUSTEES in order that this organization may the better fulfill its obligations.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

BALANCE SHEET

As at December 31, 1954

ENDOWMENT FUNDS

ENDOWMENT ASSETS:

Investments at Book Value — Schedule 1	\$285,044.38
(Approximate market value, \$488,756.90)	
Cash in Banks — Schedule 2	9,065.40
Due from Current Operating Funds	9,000.00
	<u>\$303,109.78</u>

ENDOWMENT PRINCIPAL:

Principal of Endowment Funds	<u>\$303,109.78</u>
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CURRENT OPERATING FUNDS

CURRENT ASSETS:

Cash in Banks — Schedule 2	<u>\$ 43,332.02</u>
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CURRENT LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS:

Due to Endowment Funds	\$ 9,000.00
Employees' Insurance Plan	26.95
Surplus:	
General Operating Fund — Schedule 3 (Deficit)	\$14,104.69
Project balances (net) — Schedule 4	<u>48,409.76</u>
	<u>\$ 43,332.02</u>

NOTE: The accounts of THE TRUSTEES are maintained on a "cash" basis.

SCHEDULE 1

INVESTMENT OF ENDOWMENT FUNDS

As at December 31, 1954

BOOK VALUE

GENERAL ENDOWMENT FUND:

Common stocks	\$101,124.98	
Preferred stocks	43,769.67	
Bonds — Corporation	\$26,207.11	
— Government	<u>9,000.00</u>	<u>35,207.11</u>
Total Endowment		\$180,101.76

MISSION HOUSE FUND:

Common stocks	\$ 64,365.96	
Preferred stocks	15,916.74	
Bonds — Corporation	\$19,659.92	
— Government	<u>5,000.00</u>	<u>24,659.92</u>
Total Endowment		<u>104,942.62</u>
Total (per balance sheet)		<u>\$285,044.38</u>

SCHEDULE 2

CASH IN BANKS

ENDOWMENT FUNDS:

State Street Trust Co., Boston	
General Endowment Fund, Principal Account	\$ 8,926.10
Stockbridge Mission House, Principal Account	139.30
Total (per balance sheet)	<u>\$ 9,065.40</u>

CURRENT OPERATING FUNDS:

State Street Trust Co., Boston	
Operating account	\$ 7,198.50
Hurricane Fund account	7,428.63
Stockbridge Mission House Income account	2,882.80
Castle Hill Funds: Road account	215.66
Rose Garden account	43.97
Bank accounts in name of THE TRUSTEES and Fiscal Agents:	
The First National Bank of Ipswich	11,442.44
Ipswich Savings Bank, Ipswich	7,206.83
The Harvard Trust Co., Concord Branch	1,004.21
Norfolk County Trust Co., Medfield	980.23
Housatonic National Bank, Stockbridge	656.88
Lee Savings Bank, Lee	4,271.87
Total (per balance sheet)	<u>\$ 43,332.02</u>

SCHEDULE 3

STATEMENT OF GENERAL FUND

For the Year Ended December 31, 1954

Balance, December 31, 1953 (Deficit)		\$ 20,316.37
<i>Add Income:</i>		
Membership Contributions	\$10,709.00	
Gifts	2,834.00	
Income from investments (including proportion of investment income of project endowments)	5,039.11	
Proportion of income, operation of Crane Reservation, 1954	3,000.00	
Proportion of endowment income, Mission House, 1954	1,779.75	
Other receipts	649.46	24,011.32
		<u>\$ 3,694.95</u>
<i>Add net proceeds from sale of land at Halibut Point and land-taking at Falmouth</i>		13,280.85
		<u>\$ 16,975.80</u>
<i>Deduct Expenditures and Transfers:</i>		
General salaries and wages	\$16,830.87	
Rent, light, telephone, etc.	2,211.34	
Printing, circulars, stationery, etc.	6,191.47	
TRUSTEES contribution to F.I.C.A. account	201.05	
Other expenditures	4,006.75	
Transfers to project accounts for deficits in unendowed Reservations	1,639.01	31,080.49
Balance, December 31, 1954 (per balance sheet) . . . (Deficit)		<u>\$ 14,104.69</u>

SCHEDULE 4

STATEMENT OF PROJECT SURPLUS AND DEFICIT
As at December 31, 1954

PROJECT ACCOUNTS WITH SURPLUS BALANCES:

William Cullen Bryant Homestead.....	\$ 3,159.86	
Governor Hutchinson's Field.....	177.04	
Medfield Rhododendrons.....	34.30	
Misery Islands.....	2,456.99	
Monument Mountain.....	6.93	
Petticoat Hill.....	564.47	
Charles W. Ward Reservation.....	145.80	
Whitney and Thayer Woods.....	1,136.72	
George Wigglesworth Fund.....	357.67	
Elliott Laurel Reservation.....	526.68	
Rocky Woods.....	1,262.66	
Canaumet: Lowell Holly Reservation.....	490.36	
Holmes Reservation.....	3,573.17	
Old Manse.....	1,078.16	
Royalston Falls.....	36.90	
Old Town Hill.....	456.23	
Mount Ann Park "Henry Davis Minot Memorial Fund".	268.28	
Redemption Rock.....	26.38	
Hurricane Fund.....	7,428.63	
Richard T. Crane, Jr., Memorial Reservation.....	18,649.27	
Castle Hill — Rose Garden account.....	43.97	
— Road account.....	215.66	
Mission House — Stockbridge account.....	656.88	
— Income account.....	2,882.80	
— Reserve account.....	4,271.87	
Total surplus balances.....		\$ 49,907.68

PROJECT ACCOUNTS WITH DEFICIT BALANCES:

Bartholomew's Cobble.....	\$ 1,497.92	
Total deficit balances.....		1,497.92

PROJECT BALANCES (NET SURPLUS PER BALANCE SHEET)		<u>\$ 48,409.76</u>
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January 18, 1955

AUGUSTUS P. LORING, Esq., *Treasurer*
THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Loring:

At your request, I have examined the books of THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS for the year ending December 31, 1954.

The books show that all payments have been posted, supported by proper vouchers, receipts entered and deposited, and the check book reconciled with the bank statements. The Trust securities held in the safe deposit box are in check with book records.

I certify that the assets and liabilities, as shown on the balance sheet, fairly set forth the condition of the Trust property, as of December 31, 1954.

Very truly yours,

ERNEST E. JOBLING, *Auditor*

ACT OF INCORPORATION

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC RESERVATIONS [*]

Chapter 352, Acts of 1891

Massachusetts General Court

SECTION 1. Frederick L. Ames, Philip A. Chase, Christopher Clarke, Charles R. Codman, Elisha S. Converse, George F. Hoar, John J. Russell, Leverett Saltonstall, Charles S. Sargent, Nathaniel S. Shaler, George Sheldon, William S. Shurtleff, George H. Tucker, Francis A. Walker, George Wigglesworth, their associates and successors, are hereby made a corporation by the name of THE TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC RESERVATIONS, for the purpose of acquiring, holding, arranging, maintaining, and opening to the public, under suitable regulations, beautiful and historical places and tracts of land within this Commonwealth, with the powers and privileges and subject to the duties set forth in chapter one hundred and fifteen of the Public Statutes and in such other general laws as now are or hereafter may be in force relating to such corporations; but said corporation shall have no capital stock.

SECTION 2. Said corporation may acquire and hold by grant, gift, devise, purchase, or otherwise, real estate such as it may deem worthy of preservation for the enjoyment of the public, but not exceeding one million dollars in value, and such other property, both real and personal, as may be necessary or proper to support or promote the objects of the corporation, but not exceeding in the aggregate the further sum of one million dollars.[†]

SECTION 3. All personal property held by said corporation, and all lands which it may cause to be opened and kept open to the public, and all lands which it may acquire and hold with this object in view, shall be exempt from taxation, in the same manner and to the same extent as the property of literary, benevolent, charitable, and scientific institutions incorporated within this Commonwealth is now exempt by law; but no lands so acquired and held and not open to the public shall be so exempt from taxation for a longer period than two years. Said corporation shall never make any division or dividend of or from its property or income among its members.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*The name THE TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC RESERVATIONS was changed to THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS by vote of the Corporation at its meeting on January 20, 1954.

†In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 38, Acts of the General Court (1930), THE TRUSTEES "may hold real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding five million dollars."

BYLAWS

ARTICLE I

OF TRUSTEES

1. The members of the corporation, in whom are reposed the full and exclusive duty and power to vote in respect of all matters to be acted upon at any meeting of the corporation, shall be designated "Trustees." Said Trustees shall be residents of Massachusetts, their number shall not exceed one hundred, and they shall be elected for such term as the corporation at its annual meeting or meeting held in lieu thereof shall determine.

2. The Standing Committee may, if it sees fit, nominate Trustees by inserting the names of candidates upon the notice of warning of any meeting. Said Committee may, in like manner, designate the terms for which such candidates so nominated shall be elected.

3. The election shall take place at any meeting subsequent to such notice, and shall be by ballot upon the names proposed by the Standing Committee; and any person who receives the votes of two thirds of the Trustees present and voting, shall, on his acceptance of his election, be declared and enrolled a Trustee of the corporation. Any Trustee may resign by written notice, signed by the Trustee and delivered to the Secretary or other officer of the corporation.

ARTICLE II

OF FOUNDERS, LIFE ASSOCIATES, ASSOCIATE MEMBERS, AND CONTRIBUTORS

1. All persons from whom the corporation shall receive real or personal property to the value of one thousand dollars or more shall be permanently enrolled as Founders.

2. All persons not entitled to be enrolled as Founders, from whom the corporation shall receive real or personal property to the value of one hundred dollars or more, shall be enrolled during life as Life Associates.

3. All persons not entitled to be enrolled as Founders or Life Associates, from whom the corporation shall receive ten or more dollars, shall be enrolled as Associate Members for the year in which payment of such sum is made.

4. All persons from whom the corporation shall receive five or more dollars but less than ten dollars, shall be enrolled as Contributors for the year in which payment of such sum is made.

5. But no donor of money or property coming under the four classifications above named shall be a member of the corporation unless and until duly elected as provided in Article I as amended.

6. Notwithstanding that such Founders, Life Associates, Associate Members, and Contributors shall not be subject to any duty or responsibility in the management or affairs of the corporation, they may in meeting of the persons mentioned in the foregoing paragraphs Nos. 1 to 4, both inclusive, convened at the direction of the Standing Committee, take advisory action and make recommendations in respect of any matter submitted to such meeting. At any such meeting each person shall be entitled to one vote to be cast in person or by proxy. The President of the corporation, or in his absence, the Chairman of the Standing Committee, shall preside, and the Secretary of the corporation shall keep the minutes.

ARTICLE III

OF MEETINGS

1. The annual meeting of the corporation shall be held on the last Wednesday in January, in Boston, or at such other city or town in the Commonwealth, and at such time and place, as the Standing Committee may determine. A quorum for the transaction of business shall consist of not less than seven members, but a majority of the members present and voting may adjourn any meeting from time to time until the business shall have been finished.

In the event of the annual meeting, by mistake or otherwise, not being called and held as herein prescribed, the Standing Committee shall order a special meeting to be called and held in lieu of and for the purposes of the annual meeting.

Special meetings of the corporation may be called by the Standing Committee to meet at any time and place. A quorum at a special meeting shall consist of not less than seven members.

2. At all meetings the President shall take the chair as soon as a quorum is present; and the record of the preceding meeting shall then be read, unless such reading is dispensed with by the unanimous consent of those present; after which, at all special meetings the business for which the meeting was called shall be transacted, and at the annual meeting the order of business shall be as follows:

First.—The unfinished business and the assignments of the last meeting shall be announced by the Secretary to the President and taken up in order.

Second.—The Secretary shall be called on to submit a written report of the doings of the Standing Committee for the year ending with the previous 31st of December.

Third.—The Treasurer shall be called upon to submit a written report of his doings for the year ending with the previous 31st of December, and the financial condition of the corporation of that date.

Fourth.—The Committee to audit the Treasurer's accounts shall be called on for a report.

Fifth.—Any special committee which may have been appointed during the year shall be called on to report.

Sixth.—If the Standing Committee shall have proposed changes in the Bylaws, the same shall be voted upon as provided in Article VII.

Seventh.—If the Standing Committee shall have made any nominations to membership in the corporation, an election shall be held as provided in Article I.

Eighth.—An election of officers for the ensuing year shall be held, as provided in Article IV, Section 1.

Ninth.—On the announcement of the vote the newly elected President shall take the chair, and shall give the members present an opportunity to present new business.

Tenth.—The newly elected President shall appoint a committee to audit the Treasurer's accounts.

ARTICLE IV

OF OFFICERS

1. The officers of the corporation shall be a President, a Vice President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer. The Treasurer shall be an *ex-officio* member of the Standing Committee, which shall consist of eleven persons in all. The officers and the Standing Committee shall be chosen by ballot at the annual meeting of the corporation, an adjournment thereof, or at a meeting in lieu of such annual meeting, as above provided; and they shall hold their offices for three years or for such shorter term as the corporation at its annual meeting or meeting in lieu thereof shall determine, or until others are duly chosen and qualified in their stead.

2. The President shall preside at all meetings of the corporation. If he is absent, the Vice President, and, if the Vice President is also absent, a President *pro tempore*, chosen by hand vote of the members of the corporation present, shall preside, and shall have all the powers and perform all the duties of the President.

3. The Secretary shall warn the members of all meetings of the corporation, according as he may be directed by votes of the Standing Committee. He shall call the meetings of the Standing Committee as he may be directed by the chairman of the Committee or on the request in writing of any two members thereof. He shall carry on all the correspondence of the corporation not otherwise provided for, and shall, when the correspondence is of importance, preserve copies of the letters sent and the original letters received, for transmission with his records to his successor in office. He shall keep an exact record of all meetings of the corporation and of the Standing Committee, with the names of the members present, entering in full all reports of committees, which may be accepted, by either body, unless otherwise directed.

At the January meeting of the Standing Committee he shall make a written report of the doings of that body for the year ending on the previous 31st of December; and, if the report is approved, he shall present it at the annual meeting of the corporation.

4. The Treasurer shall, when directed, as provided in the next paragraph, make disbursements; and he shall also collect all moneys due to the corporation, and shall keep regular and faithful account of all the moneys and funds of the corporation which shall come into his hands and of all receipts and expenditures connected with the same, which accounts shall always be open to the inspection of members of the corporation. He shall make no investments and pay no moneys without either the approval of a

majority of the Standing Committee or else of such officer or committee as said Standing Committee shall appoint to act for it in these matters. At the January meeting of the Standing Committee he shall make a written report of his doings for the year ending on the previous 31st of December; and, if his report is approved, he shall present it at the annual meeting of the corporation.

ARTICLE V

OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE

The Standing Committee shall, at the first meeting after the annual meeting of the corporation in each year, elect a chairman, whose duty it shall be to preside at all meetings of the Committee. In his absence a chairman *pro tempore* may be chosen by hand vote. The Standing Committee shall meet at least once in every month, and a quorum shall consist of not less than three members. The Standing Committee may nominate or refuse to nominate new members of the corporation, may accept or decline gifts offered to the corporation, may approve or disapprove investments or expenditures proposed by the Treasurer, may approve or disapprove all bills against the corporation, may appoint subcommittees of their number, or committees consisting of members or other persons not members, may appoint and remove agents, may engage whatever assistance is needed to administer the affairs of the corporation, may designate such agents and employees by such titles as they may deem proper, and, in general, may exercise all the executive powers of the corporation.

ARTICLE VI

OF THE SEAL

The corporate seal shall be a circular, flat-faced die of about an inch and a half in diameter, with the name of the corporation, the year of its organization, the word "Massachusetts," and the figure of a pine tree so engraved on its face that it can be embossed on paper by pressure.

ARTICLE VII

OF AMENDMENTS

At any annual meeting of the corporation, or at a special meeting called for the purpose, these Bylaws may be amended, altered, or repealed by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting, provided that notice of such proposed change shall have been given in the call of the meeting.

OFFICERS

1891-1955

PRESIDENT

GEORGE F. HOAR	1891-1904
CHARLES W. ELIOT	1905-1926
GEORGE WIGGLESWORTH	1926-1930
CHARLES S. RACKEMANN	1930-1933
HERBERT PARKER	1933-1938
ROBERT WALCOTT	1938-

VICE-PRESIDENT

WILLIAM S. SHURTLEFF	1891-1895
GEORGE SHELDON	1896-1916
JOHN S. AMES	1917-1920
GEORGE WIGGLESWORTH	1922-1926
HENRY P. WALCOTT	1926-1932
ROBERT WALCOTT	1932-1938
HENRY M. CHANNING	1938-1950
WILLIAM ROGER GREELEY	1951-

CHAIRMAN OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE

PHILIP A. CHASE	1891-1893
CHARLES ELIOT	1894-1897
PHILIP A. CHASE	1897-1903
HENRY P. WALCOTT	1903-1926
CHARLES S. RACKEMANN	1926-1933
CHARLES S. BIRD	1933-

TREASURER

GEORGE WIGGLESWORTH	1891-1920
JOHN S. AMES	1921-1939
ALLAN FORBES	1940-1949
FRANCIS E. FROTHINGHAM	1949-1954
EDWARD L. BIGELOW	1954
AUGUSTUS P. LORING	1954-

SECRETARY

CHARLES ELIOT	1891-1893
HENRY R. SHAW	1894
JOHN WOODBURY	1894-1924
CHARLES W. ELIOT 2ND	1925-1926
HENRY M. CHANNING	1926-1936
LAURENCE B. FLETCHER	1937-

DOES not the landscape deserve attention? What are the natural features which make a township handsome?

A river, with its waterfalls and meadows, a lake, a hill, a cliff or individual rocks, a forest, and ancient trees standing singly. Such things are beautiful; they have a high use which dollars and cents never represent.

If the inhabitants of a town were wise, they would seek to preserve these things, though at a considerable expense. . . .

It would be worth while if in each town a committee were appointed to see that the beauty of the town received no detriment. If we have the biggest boulder in the country, then it should not belong to an individual, nor be made into a doorstep. As in many countries precious metals belong to the crown, so here more precious natural objects of rare beauty should belong to the public.

HENRY DAVID THOREAU